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2015 Inventory of Air Quality Bylaws in British Columbia:

Vehicle Idling, Open Burning, and Wood Burning Appliances

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Feedback and Questions

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Abstract

This inventory is an update to the 2011 Inventory of Air Quality Bylaws in British Columbia. It is intended to serve as a resource for local governments to create or further develop legislation to improve local air quality. This inventory is focused on vehicle idling, open burning, and wood burning appliance bylaws, which have been identified as particular areas of concern due to their impacts on local air quality and public health. All municipalities and regional districts in BC were contacted to gather information on the air quality bylaws they have created or updated since 2011. Additional information was collected on the enforcement, compliance and education activities pertaining to these bylaws.

Quantitative Results

Table 1: Number (#) and Percent (%) of BC local governments aware of the 2007 and/or 2011 air quality questionnaires

# of local governments <u>aware of</u> the past inventories	# of local governments that <u>accessed or used</u> the past inventories
83	47
% of local governments <u>aware of</u> the past inventories	% of local governments that <u>accessed or used</u> the past inventories
44%	25%

Table 2: Number (#) of vehicle idling, open burning, and wood burning appliance bylaws in BC

Vehicle Idling		Open Burning		Wood Burning Appliance	
# New or Updated Since 2011	Total #	# New or Updated Since 2011	Total #	# New or Updated Since 2011	Total #
15	48	72	161	29	147

Table 3: Percentage (%) of 188 BC local governments with vehicle idling, open burning, and wood burning appliance bylaws

Vehicle Idling		Open Burning		Wood Burning Appliance	
% New or Updated Since 2011	Total %	% New or Updated Since 2011	Total %	% New or Updated Since 2011	Total %
8%	25.5%	38%	85%	15%	78%

Summary of Vehicle Idling Bylaws

Collated from 2007/2011/2015 Questionnaire Results

Local Government	Bylaw	Policy	No Idling Unattended Vehicles	Time Constraint on Idling	Bylaw Provisions/ Exceptions/Other	Idle Free Zone Signs?
100 Mile House	No Bylaw					
Abbotsford	Good Neighbour Bylaw No. 1256 2003			3 minutes	Exceptions: Does not apply where bus is located within a garage or depot - Only applies to diesel vehicles	Yes
Alberni-Clayoquot Regional District	No Bylaw					No
Alert Bay	No Bylaw					
Anmore	Bylaw Under Consideration 2015					Under Consideration
Ashcroft	No Bylaw					
Armstrong	Noise Control Bylaw No. 1421 2001			15 minutes	Exceptions: Emergency vehicles, parades, necessary idling when loading and unloading - Applies to diesel vehicles only	No

Local Government	Bylaw	Policy	No Idling Unattended Vehicles	Time Constraint on Idling	Bylaw Provisions/ Exceptions/Other	Idle Free Zone Signs?
Barriere	Noise Control Bylaw No. 20 (Section 5a) 2009			10 minutes	-Separate provision for commercial vehicles	No
Belcarra	No Bylaw					
Bowen Island	Idling Control Bylaw No. 210 2008		No Idling Unattended Vehicles		Exceptions: Contains certain exceptions for ferry line ups	No
Bulkley-Nechako Regional District	No Bylaw					
Burnaby	Bylaw/Policy Under Consideration 2015	Policy under consideration				Signs posted in school pick up zones
Burns Lake	No Bylaw					Yes
Cache Creek	No Bylaw					
Campbell River	No Bylaw	Applies to municipal vehicles/equipment only				Yes
Canal Flats	No Bylaw					

Local Government	Bylaw	Policy	No Idling Unattended Vehicles	Time Constraint on Idling	Bylaw Provisions/ Exceptions/Other	Idle Free Zone Signs?
Capital Regional District	Idling Control Bylaw No. 3533 2008		No Idling Unattended Vehicles	3 minutes	Exceptions: Emergency vehicles, armoured vehicles, passengers embarking/disembarking etc. -Idling permitted in loading/unloading zones only	
Cariboo Regional District	No Bylaw					
Castlegar						Yes
Central Coast Regional District	No Bylaw					No
Central Kootenay Regional District	No Bylaw					No
Central Okanagan Regional District	No Bylaw					Yes
Central Saanich	No Bylaw	Policy applies to municipal vehicles/equipment only				No

Local Government	Bylaw		No Idling Unattended Vehicles	Time Constraint on Idling	Bylaw Provisions/ Exceptions/Other	Idle Free Zone Signs?
Chase	Bylaw In Progress/Under Consideration 2015		No Idling Unattended Vehicles	3 minutes		Not Yet (2015)
Chetwynd	No Bylaw	Policy applies to municipal vehicles/equipment only				No
Chilliwack	No Bylaw	Policy applies to municipal vehicles/equipment only				Yes
Clearwater	No Bylaw					No
Clinton	Anti-Idling Bylaw No.472 2010			3 minutes	Exceptions: Emergency Vehicles, armoured vehicles, vehicles in traffic etc. -Idling permitted in loading/unloading zones only	No
Coldstream	No Bylaw					No
Columbia-Shuswap Regional District	No Bylaw					No

Local Government	Bylaw	Policy	No Idling Unattended Vehicles	Time Constraint on Idling	Bylaw Provisions/ Exceptions/Other	Idle Free Zone Signs?
Colwood	No Bylaw	Policy applies to municipal vehicles/equipment only				No
Comox	No Bylaw					No
Comox Valley Regional District	No Bylaw	Policy applies to fleet vehicles only	No Idling Unattended Fleet Vehicles	10 seconds	Exceptions: manufacturer's specs re: warm up/shut down	Yes
Coquitlam	No Bylaw					No
Courtenay	No Bylaw					No
Cowichan Valley Regional District	No Bylaw					No
Cranbrook	No Bylaw					No
Creston		Policy applies to municipal vehicles/equipment only				
Cumberland	No Bylaw					No
Dawson Creek	No Bylaw	Policy applies to municipal vehicles/equipment only				No
Delta	No Bylaw					Yes

Local Government	Bylaw	Policy	No Idling Unattended Vehicles	Time Constraint on Idling	Bylaw Provisions/ Exceptions/Other	Idle Free Zone Signs?
Duncan	City of Duncan Anti-idling Bylaw No. 3004 2011		No Idling Unattended Vehicles	1 minute	Exceptions: vehicles idling while passengers are embarking or disembarking, because of traffic, armoured vehicles, emergency vehicles, vehicles in the course of assistance in an emergency, parades, mechanical testing or maintenance procedures, heating or refrigeration purposes,; and to power tools or equipment to the provision of services by a municipality or a public utility.	No
East Kootenay Regional District	No Bylaw					No
Elkford	No Bylaw	Policy applies to municipal vehicles/equipment only				No
Enderby	No Bylaw	Policy applies to municipal vehicles/equipment only				No
Esquimalt	No Bylaw					Yes
Fernie	No Bylaw					
Fraser-Fort George Regional District	No Bylaw					Yes. On corporate properties such as office parking lots and rec-center parking areas

Local Government	Bylaw	Policy	No Idling Unattended Vehicles	Time Constraint on Idling	Bylaw Provisions/ Exceptions/Other	Idle Free Zone Signs?
Fraser Lake	No Bylaw					Yes
Fraser Valley Regional District	Bylaw in Progress/Under Consideration 2015					No
Fruitvale	Village of Fruitvale Anti-Idling Bylaw No. 787 2007			3 minutes (April-October) 10 minutes (November-March)	Exceptions: Passengers are embarking or disembarking, vehicles in traffic, armoured vehicles, emergency vehicles, parades, races, vehicles powered for use of heating or refrigeration systems or public works	No
Fort St. James	District of Fort St. James Anti-Idling Bylaw No. 889 2011			3 minutes	Exceptions: vehicles undergoing emergency repairs, vehicles in an emergency or training activity, armoured vehicles, parades, vehicles powered for use of tools or equipment providing commercial or public utility services, heating or refrigeration system purposes. - Warming up for 10 minutes during extreme cold temperatures or sitting with occupants during temperature extremes	No
Fort St. John	No Bylaw					No

Local Government	Bylaw	Policy	No Idling Unattended Vehicles	Time Constraint on Idling	Bylaw Provisions/ Exceptions/Other	Idle Free Zone Signs?
Gibsons	Town of Gibsons Anti-Idling Bylaw No. 1010 2005			3 minutes	Exceptions: Vehicles with passengers embarking or disembarking, vehicles in traffic, armoured vehicles, emergency vehicles, parades, races, vehicles undergoing repairs, vehicles idling in order to power equipment or heating/refrigerating systems	Yes
Golden						
Gold River	No Bylaw	Policy applies to municipal vehicles/equipment only				Yes
Grand Forks	Grand Forks Anti-Idling Bylaw No. 1836 2007			3 minutes	Exceptions: Passengers are embarking or disembarking, in traffic, armoured vehicles, emergency vehicles, vehicles engaged in a parade or race etc. Exceptions: Bylaw does not apply when outside temperature is below freezing or above 30 degrees Celsius	

Local Government	Bylaw	Policy	No Idling Unattended Vehicles	Time Constraint on Idling	Bylaw Provisions/ Exceptions/Other	Idle Free Zone Signs?
Granisle	No Bylaw					No
Greenwood	No Bylaw	Policy- No idling of any and all vehicles in front of City Hall				No
Harrison Hot Springs	No Bylaw					No
Hazelton	No Bylaw					No
Highlands	No Bylaw					No
Hope	Good Neighbour Bylaw No.1240 2008			3 minutes	Exceptions: Emergency vehicles, armoured vehicles etc.	Yes
Houston	No Bylaw					
Hudson's Hope	Noise Regulation Bylaw No. 620 2001			10:30pm-7am	Exceptions: Emergency vehicles, idling to power equipment, or idling by individuals with municipal permits Provision: No idling between 10:30pm and 7am	No
Invermere	District of Invermere Anti-Idling Bylaw No.1365 2008			3 minutes	Exceptions: Emergency vehicles, armoured vehicles, parades, races, passengers disembarking or embarking etc.	Yes
Islands Trust	No Bylaw					No

Local Government	Bylaw	Policy	No Idling Unattended Vehicles	Time Constraint on Idling	Bylaw Provisions/ Exceptions/Other	Idle Free Zone Signs?
Kamloops	Noise Control Bylaw No.24-42 2007 (amended in 2010)			3 minutes	Exceptions: Emergency vehicles, vehicles in traffic, vehicles undergoing repair, armoured vehicles, parades, races or mobile workshops Provision: Applies to residential areas	Yes
Kaslo	Village of Kaslo Anti-Idling Bylaw No.1082 2009			3 minutes	Exceptions: Emergency vehicles, armoured vehicles, parades, races, passengers disembarking or embarking etc.	
Kelowna	No Bylaw					Yes
Kent	No Bylaw					No
Keremeos	Noise Bylaw No.636 2003 Anti-Idle Bylaw in Progress/Under Consideration 2015			No Idling between 11pm-6pm	Exceptions: Emergency Vehicles, emergency repairs etc.	Yes

Local Government	Bylaw	Policy	No Idling Unattended Vehicles	Time Constraint on Idling	Bylaw Provisions/ Exceptions/Other	Idle Free Zone Signs?
Kimberley	Bylaw in Progress/Under Consideration 2015	Policy applies to municipal vehicles/equipment only				Yes. Currently in workplaces and decals on dashboards of vehicles
Kitimat	No Bylaw				School District and Municipal policy	Yes
Kitimat-Stikine Regional District	No Bylaw					
Kootenay Boundary Regional District	No Bylaw					No
Ladysmith	No Bylaw					No
Lake Country	No Bylaw	Policy applies to municipal vehicles/equipment only				Yes
Lake Cowichan	No Bylaw	Policy applies to municipal vehicles, encouraging all residents to comply		1 minute		Yes

Local Government	Bylaw	Policy	No Idling Unattended Vehicles	Time Constraint on Idling	Bylaw Provisions/ Exceptions/Other	Idle Free Zone Signs?
Langford	Traffic Bylaw No. 33 1995			3 minutes	Exceptions: Buses, emergency vehicles, armoured vehicles, vehicles engaged in public works or public process (idling needed to operate other equipment etc.) -Parade or race, passengers embarking or disembarking -Vehicles when temperature is more than 27 degrees or less than 5 degrees Celsius	
Langley City	Hwy and Traffic Regulation Bylaw No.2352 2011		No Idling Unattended Vehicles	3 minutes	Exceptions: Passenger zones, loading zones, commercial zones, and disabled parking zones -emergency vehicles, tow trucks, municipal utility vehicles and vehicles of a public utility corporation while engaged in regular duties	No
Langley Township	Highway and Traffic Bylaw No.4758 2010		No Idling Unattended Vehicles	5 minutes	Exceptions: Idling permitted in loading and unloading zones	
Lantzville	No Bylaw					No
Lillooet	No Bylaw					No

Local Government	Bylaw	Policy	No Idling Unattended Vehicles	Time Constraint on Idling	Bylaw Provisions/ Exceptions/Other	Idle Free Zone Signs?
Lions Bay	Anti-Idling Bylaw No. 416 2010			1 minute	Exceptions: Passengers embarking or disembarking, emergency vehicles, armoured vehicles etc.	No
Logan Lake	No Bylaw					No
Lumby	Anti-Noise Bylaw No. 689 2008		No idling unattended vehicles	3 minutes	Exceptions: Buses, emergency vehicles, vehicles in repair, armoured vehicles, parades or mobile workshops	No
Lytton	No Bylaw					
Mackenzie	No Bylaw					No
Maple Ridge	No Bylaw					No
Masset	No Bylaw					Yes
McBride	No Bylaw					
Merritt	Traffic Bylaw No.1930 2006		No Idling Unattended Vehicles	3 minutes	Provision: Must be driver inside idling vehicle	No
Metchosin	No Bylaw					No
Metro Vancouver	No Bylaw					No
Midway	No Bylaw					No
Mission	No Bylaw					No
Montrose	No Bylaw					No

Local Government	Bylaw	Policy	No Idling Unattended Vehicles	Time Constraint on Idling	Bylaw Provisions/ Exceptions/Other	Idle Free Zone Signs?
Mount Waddington Regional District	No Bylaw	Policy applies to municipal vehicles/equipment only				Yes
Nakusp	Smoking and Idle Control Bylaw No. 623 2009		No Idling Unattended Vehicles		Provision: Prohibits unnecessary and excessive idling of vehicles parked within any Commercial, Institutional, School or Park Zone within the Village -Separate provisions for commercial vehicles	Yes
Nanaimo	No Bylaw	Policy applies to municipal vehicles/equipment only				No
Nelson	No Bylaw					Yes
New Denver	No Bylaw					No
New Hazelton	No Bylaw					No
New Westminster	Street Traffic Bylaw No. 6027 1991			3 minutes	Exceptions: Emergency Vehicles, armoured vehicles, parades, races, vehicles powered for use of heating or refrigeration systems etc.	Yes

Local Government	Bylaw	Policy	No Idling Unattended Vehicles	Time Constraint on Idling	Bylaw Provisions/ Exceptions/Other	Idle Free Zone Signs?
North Cowichan	No Bylaw	Policy applies to municipal vehicles/equipment only				No
Northern Rockies Regional District	No Bylaw					No
North Saanich	No Bylaw	Policy applies to municipal vehicles/equipment only				Yes
North Okanagan Regional District	No Bylaw					No
North Vancouver (City of)	Street and Traffic Bylaw No. 6234 1991			3 minutes	Exceptions: Vehicles in traffic, armoured vehicles, emergency vehicles, parades, races etc.	Yes
North Vancouver (District of)	Street and Traffic Bylaw No. 7125 2004			3 minutes	Exceptions: Vehicles in traffic, armoured vehicles, emergency vehicles, parades, races etc.	Yes
Oak Bay	No Bylaw					Yes

Local Government	Bylaw	Policy	No Idling Unattended Vehicles	Time Constraint on Idling	Bylaw Provisions/ Exceptions/Other	Idle Free Zone Signs?
Okanagan-Similkameen Regional District	No Bylaw					No
Oliver	No Bylaw					No
Osoyoos	Idling Control Bylaw No. 1262 2010		No Idling Unattended Vehicles	3 minutes	Exceptions: Emergency vehicles, mobile workshops, vehicles under repair, armoured vehicles, parades, races, etc.	
Parksville	No Bylaw	Policy applies to municipal vehicles/equipment only				No
Peace River Regional District	No Bylaw					No
Peachland	No Bylaw	Policy applies to municipal vehicles/equipment only				Yes
Pemberton	Parking and Traffic Control Bylaw No. 586 2006			10 minutes	Exceptions: Vehicles in traffic, undergoing emergency repairs along roadside, emergency vehicles	No

Local Government	Bylaw	Policy	No Idling Unattended Vehicles	Time Constraint on Idling	Bylaw Provisions/ Exceptions/Other	Idle Free Zone Signs?
Penticton	Noise and Nuisance Bylaw No. 9436 1994	Includes a policy applying to municipal vehicles/equipment			Provision: No person shall drive or operate a motor vehicle within the corporate limits of the City so as to cause, or in a manner causing loud noise from the engine or exhaust of such motor vehicle	No
Pitt Meadows	No Bylaw					Yes
Port Alberni	Noise Control Bylaw No.4718 2009			15 minutes	Provision: Applies to diesel engines, trucks, busses, or any vehicles with a low restriction muffler for more than 15 minutes in a general area	
Port Alice	No Bylaw					No
Port Clements	No Bylaw					
Port Coquitlam		Policy applies to municipal vehicles/equipment only				No
Port Edward	No Bylaw					No
Port Hardy	No Bylaw	Policy applies to municipal vehicles/equipment only				No

Local Government	Bylaw	Policy	No Idling Unattended Vehicles	Time Constraint on Idling	Bylaw Provisions/ Exceptions/Other	Idle Free Zone Signs?
Port McNeill	Nuisance Bylaw No. 571.1 2006			15 minutes	Exceptions: Emergency Vehicles, vehicles in traffic, vehicles undergoing repairs, armoured vehicles, parades, or idling to power equipment	
Port Moody	Anti-Idling Bylaw No. 2859 2010		No Idling Unattended Vehicles	3 minutes	Exceptions: Emergency vehicles, vehicles undergoing repairs, armoured vehicles, parades, races, vehicles in traffic etc.	Yes
Pouce Coupe	No Bylaw	Policy applies to municipal vehicles/equipment				No
Powell River	No Bylaw	Policy applies to municipal vehicles/equipment				Yes
Powell River Regional District	No Bylaw					No
Prince George	No Bylaw	Anti-Idle Campaign				Yes
Prince Rupert	No Bylaw	Policy applies to municipal vehicles/equipment				
Princeton	No Bylaw					Yes

Local Government	Bylaw	Policy	No Idling Unattended Vehicles	Time Constraint on Idling	Bylaw Provisions/ Exceptions/Other	Idle Free Zone Signs?
Qualicum Beach	Anti-Idling Bylaw No.636 2009			3 minutes	Exceptions: Emergency Vehicles, vehicles being serviced for inspection, idling to defrost windows, idling for warmth purposes, idling required to power equipment	Yes
Queen Charlotte	No Bylaw					Yes
Quesnel		Policy applies to municipal vehicles/equipment				Yes
Radium Hot Springs	No Bylaw					No
Revelstoke	Anti-Idling Bylaw No.1900 2008			3 minutes	Exceptions: Emergency vehicles, vehicles undergoing repairs, armoured vehicles, vehicles idling for use of heating or refrigeration systems or public works, parades, and vehicles with occupants during temperature extremes	Yes
Richmond	No Bylaw	Policy applies to municipal vehicles/equipment				Yes

Local Government	Bylaw	Policy	No Idling Unattended Vehicles	Time Constraint on Idling	Bylaw Provisions/ Exceptions/Other	Idle Free Zone Signs?
Rossland	Good Neighbour Bylaw No.2430 2008			3 minutes	Exceptions: Buses located within garages or depots for long-term parking or maintenance, a vehicle containing equipment that must be operated inside or in association with a vehicle, a vehicle serving as a facility for taking measurements or making observations by or on behalf of the municipality, public utility, police, fire or ambulance	No
Saanich	No Bylaw	Policy applies to municipal vehicles/equipment				Yes
Salmo	Traffic Bylaw No. 660 2014			5 minutes	Exceptions: Emergency vehicles, municipal vehicles, tow trucks etc.	Yes
Salmon Arm	No Bylaw	Policy applies to municipal vehicles/equipment				No
Sayward	No Idling Bylaw No. 389 2011			3 minutes	Exceptions: Emergency vehicles, traffic congestion etc.	

Local Government	Bylaw	Policy	No Idling Unattended Vehicles	Time Constraint on Idling	Bylaw Provisions/ Exceptions/Other	Idle Free Zone Signs?
Sechelt	No Bylaw					Yes
Sechelt Nation	No Bylaw					
Sicamous	No Bylaw					
Sidney	No Bylaw					No
Silverton	No Bylaw					
Skeen-Queen Charlotte Regional District	No Bylaw					No
Slocan	No Bylaw					
Smithers	No Bylaw	Policy applies to municipal vehicles/equipment				
Sooke	No Bylaw					No
Spallumcheen	No Bylaw					No
Sparwood	No Bylaw	Policy No Idling Unattended Vehicles				Yes

Local Government	Bylaw	Policy	No Idling Unattended Vehicles	Time Constraint on Idling	Bylaw Provisions/ Exceptions/Other	Idle Free Zone Signs?
Squamish	Traffic Bylaw No.2220 2012			2 minutes	Exceptions: Vehicles allowing passengers to embark or disembark; to accommodate slow moving pedestrians or traffic, or police or fire or ambulance response, in obedience to the direction of a police officer or firefighter; in circumstances of emergency; while participating in a permitted street event; required mechanical difficulties ; vehicle testing or maintenance; to allow the powering of tool or equipment; armoured vehicles; to power heating or refrigeration systems	Yes
Squamish-Lillooet	No Bylaw					No
Stewart	No Bylaw					Yes
Strathcona Regional District	No Bylaw					
Summerland	No Bylaw	Policy applies to municipal vehicles/equipment				No

Local Government	Bylaw	Policy	No Idling Unattended Vehicles	Time Constraint on Idling	Bylaw Provisions/ Exceptions/Other	Idle Free Zone Signs?
Sun Peaks	Parking and Traffic Bylaw No.0009 2010			3 minutes	Exceptions: Passengers embarking or disembarking, traffic, vehicles with emergency or mechanical difficulties, emergency vehicles, armoured vehicles, parades, races, mechanical test or maintenance procedure, to power equipment or tools, heating and refrigeration system, vehicles making frequent stops and starts of a short duration	Yes
Sunshine Coast Regional District	No Bylaw					Yes
Surrey	Highway and Traffic Bylaw No. 2859 Consolidated 2011		No Idling Unattended Vehicles	3 minutes	Exceptions: Emergency vehicles, vehicles undergoing repairs, armoured vehicles, parades, races, vehicles in traffic etc.	Yes
Tahsis	No Bylaw					No
Taylor	No Bylaw	Policy applies to municipal vehicles/equipment		10 Seconds	- Exception: Vehicle is in traffic, idling is required for equipment use, for necessary heating/refrigerating purposes, if the temperature is below -10 degrees Celsius	No

Local Government	Bylaw	Policy	No Idling Unattended Vehicles	Time Constraint on Idling	Bylaw Provisions/ Exceptions/Other	Idle Free Zone Signs?
Telkwa	No Bylaw	City wide policy				
Terrace	No Bylaw	Policy applies to municipal vehicles/equipment		3 minutes		Yes
Thompson-Nicola Regional District	No Bylaw					No
Tofino	Anti-Idling Bylaw No.1087 2009			3 minutes	Exceptions: Parades, races, emergency vehicles, armoured vehicles, vehicles that must remain idling for public works etc.	No
Trail		Policy applies to municipal vehicles/equipment				
Tumbler Ridge	Noise Control Bylaw No.457 2002			No idling between 11pm-8am	Exemptions: Emergency vehicles, snow removal, or highway cleaning operations	
Ucluelet	Noise Control Bylaw No.915 2003			15 minutes	Exemptions: If vehicle is located within a garage or depot Provision: Only applies to diesel vehicles	No
Valemount	No Bylaw					No

Local Government	Bylaw	Policy	No Idling Unattended Vehicles	Time Constraint on Idling	Bylaw Provisions/ Exceptions/Other	Idle Free Zone Signs?
Vancouver (City of)	Motor Vehicle Noise and Emission Abatement Bylaw No.9344 Consolidated 2011		No Idling Unattended vehicles	3 minutes	Exceptions: Emergency vehicles, armoured vehicles, parades, races, vehicles idling in order to operate machinery, and buses while passengers are embarking or disembarking	Yes
Vanderhoof	No Bylaw	No policy - Promotion, awareness campaigns and education of unnecessary idling of vehicles				Yes
Vernon	No Bylaw	Policy applies to municipal vehicles/equipment				No
Victoria	Idling Control Bylaw No.07-069 2009			3 minutes	Exceptions: At stop signs, traffic lights or in traffic; mobile workshops; emergency vehicles; heating or refrigeration purposes; engine repairs; armoured vehicles; parades, races; passengers embarking or disembarking	No
View Royal	No Bylaw					No

Local Government	Bylaw	Policy	No Idling Unattended Vehicles	Time Constraint on Idling	Bylaw Provisions/ Exceptions/Other	Idle Free Zone Signs?
Warfield	No Bylaw					
Wells	No Bylaw					
West Kelowna	No Bylaw					
West Vancouver	Good Neighbour Bylaw No.4380 2004			5 minutes	Exceptions: Vehicles undergoing repairs, emergency vehicles or idling in order to operate machinery	
Whistler	Parking and Traffic Bylaw No. 1512 Consolidated 2011			1 minute	Exceptions: Emergency vehicles, parades/races, armoured vehicles, traffic congestion, mechanical procedures, heating/refrigeration purposes Provision: Idling permitted in loading/unloading zones only	Yes
White Rock	No Bylaw					No
Williams Lake	No Bylaw	Policy applies to municipal vehicles/equipment				
Zeballos	No Bylaw					

Summary of Open Burning/Backyard Burning Bylaws

Collated from 2007/2011/2015 Questionnaire Results

Note that “FH”= Motivated by fire hazard concerns, “AQ”= Motivated by air quality concerns, “Both”= Motivated by both air quality and fire hazard concerns

Local Government	Bylaw Name	FH or AQ?	Complete or Partial Ban?	Permits	Bylaw Provisions Include:	Recreational fire, Campfires, Cooking Fires Allowed?	Alternatives?
100 Mile House	In Progress/Under Consideration 2015	FH		- Administered Through Fire Chief	- Burning Restrictions - Minimum setbacks from buildings, property lines etc. - Prohibited burning materials	- Recreational bonfires, campfires, and BBQs are allowed	- Back yard compost education and incentive programs
Abbotsford	Consolidated Fire Services Bylaw No. 1513 2011	Both	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban No burning between June 1 st and September 30 th	- Administered Through Fire Chief - For Exceptions Only	- Burning Restrictions - Minimum setbacks from buildings, property lines etc. - Prohibited burning materials: household and yard materials Exceptions: Agricultural Waste Materials; Site of proposed burn is within area designated as Rural Area (Agricultural Burning Boundary); Fire hazard removal; Burns for fire training purposes	- Recreational bonfires, campfires, and BBQs are allowed	- Curbside vegetation pickup - Free vegetation drop off sites (with a downloadable coupon, and for Abbotsford residents only) - Back yard compost education and incentive programs

Local Government	Bylaw Name	FH or AQ?	Complete or Partial Ban?	Permits	Bylaw Provisions Include:	Recreational fire, Campfires, Cooking Fires Allowed?	Alternatives?
Alberni-Clayoquot Regional District	Bamfield Residential Backyard Burning Bylaw No.1025 2013	Both		- Administered Through Fire Chief	- Burning Restrictions - Minimum setbacks from buildings, property lines etc. - Prohibited burning materials	- Recreational bonfires, campfires, and BBQs are allowed	- Back yard compost education and incentive programs
Alert Bay	Fire Protection Bylaw No.739 (No online doc.) 2011	FH		- Administered Through Fire Chief	- Burning Restrictions - Minimum setbacks from buildings, property lines etc. - Prohibited burning materials	- Recreational bonfires, campfires, and BBQs are allowed	- Recycling pick up and drop off are free of charge
Anmore	Fire Prevention Bylaw No. 281 2000 Bylaw updates In Progress/ Under Consideration	Both	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban	- Administered Through Fire Chief	- Burning Restrictions - Prohibited burning materials	- Recreational bonfires, campfires, and BBQs are allowed	- Curbside vegetation pickup
Ashcroft	Fire Regulation Amendment Bylaw No. 777 2012	Both	- Complete Ban - Burning only allowed October 1-14	-Permit must be obtained from the Villiage Office			- Curbside vegetation pickup

Local Government	Bylaw Name	FH or AQ?	Complete or Partial Ban?	Permits	Bylaw Provisions Include:	Recreational fire, Campfires, Cooking Fires Allowed?	Alternatives?
Armstrong	Fire Prevention Bylaw No. 1724 2002	Both	- Complete Ban	-Agricultural burning requires permit but is only allowed when the Provincial venting index is “good” for the region		- Small enclosed fires for cooking food are allowed - Agricultural burning is allowed by permit	- Curbside vegetation pickup
Barriere	Fire Regulations Bylaw No. 55	Both		- Administered Through Fire Chief	- Burning Restrictions - Minimum setbacks from buildings, property lines etc. - Prohibited burning materials * Fire Chief can extinguish any fire deemed to be a nuisance or hazard regardless of fire rating.	- Recreational bonfires, campfires, and BBQs are allowed	-Free vegetation drop off sites (offered by TNRD) - Back yard compost education and incentive programs
Belcarra	Fire Prevention Bylaw No. 310	Both		- Administered Through Fire Chief	- Burning Restrictions - Minimum setbacks from buildings, property lines etc. - Prohibited burning materials	- Small cooking fires for the preparation of food contained in a cooking grill, BBQ appliance or outdoor stove	

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Bowen Island	Fire Protection District Bylaw No. 41 2013	Both	- Partial Ban No Fires between sunset of one day and sunrise of the following -No Fires Saturday-Monday May through September	- Administered Through Fire Chief	- Burning Restrictions - Minimum setbacks from buildings, property lines etc. - Prohibited burning materials		
Bulkley-Nechako Regional District	No Bylaw						
Burnaby	Fire Services Bylaw No. 11860 2004	Both		- Administered Through Fire Chief for exceptions only	- Prohibited burning materials	- Recreational bonfires, campfires, and BBQs are allowed for cooking	- Curbside vegetation pickup - Free vegetation drop off sites - Back yard compost education and incentive programs
Burns Lake	Open Air Burning Bylaw No. 915 2010	Both	Partial/Seasonal Ban	- Administered Through Fire Chief	- Burning Restrictions - Minimum setbacks from buildings, property lines etc. - Prohibited burning materials	- Recreational bonfires, campfires, and BBQs are allowed	- Curbside vegetation pickup - Free vegetation drop off sites - Back yard compost education and incentive programs

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Cache Creek	Volunteer Fire Department Establishment and Regulation Bylaw No. 531 2004			- Administered Through Fire Chief		- Properly contained outdoor fires for cooking and warmth are allowed	
Campbell River	Fire Services Bylaw No. 2612 1997	FH	Partial/Seasonal Ban - Burning allowed October and April	- Administered Through Fire Chief	- Burning Restrictions - Minimum setbacks from buildings, property lines etc. - Prohibited burning materials	- Small confined fires used for cooking food or providing heat allowed	
Canal Flats	No Bylaw					- Recreational bonfires, campfires, and BBQs are allowed	- Transfer station takes recyclable - Marshalling area for scrap metal and clean wood waste
Capital Regional District	Fire Regulation Bylaw No. 3452 2007	Both	Partial Ban - No burning between July and September	- Administered Through Fire Chief	- Minimum setbacks from buildings, property lines etc. - Prohibited burning materials include tires, plastic, drywall, paint and paint products, treated lumber, asphalt, asphalt products, rubber, fuel, solvents, metals and lubricant containers, tar paper, railway ties, demolition waste, garbage, biomedical waste or manure	- Recreational bonfires, campfires, and BBQs are allowed unless notified by Fire Chief	- Curbside recycling to member municipalities - Drop off locations for organic/yard wastes

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Cariboo Regional District	No Bylaw						<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Waste exchange program to reduce materials in landfills - Runs transfer stations with sorting stations, which also accept wood waste
Castlegar	Open Air Burning Bylaw No. 905 2001	Both	- Ban	- Administered Through Fire Chief -Permits for exceptions only	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Burning Restrictions - Minimum setbacks from buildings, property lines etc. - Prohibited burning materials Exceptions: Necessary municipal burning & Burns for fire training	- Outdoor BBQs and firepits used solely for purpose of cooking food are allowed	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Curbside vegetation pickup - Free vegetation drop off sites - Back yard compost education and incentive programs
Central Coast Regional District	No Bylaw						Recycling at landfill (sorting stations)
Central Kootenay Regional District	No Bylaw						- Recycling depots which accept various materials
Central Okanagan Regional District	Smoke Control Regulatory Bylaw No. 773 Consolidated 2011	Both	-Partial Ban	- Administered Through Fire Chief for properties greater than 1 hectare	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Burning Restrictions - Minimum setbacks from buildings, property lines etc. - Prohibited burning materials - Must follow venting index 	- Campfires are permitted	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Free agricultural chipping program for residents removing orchards (for replanting), green cart for yard waste pickup program, free yard waste drop off at landfill

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Central Saanich	Open Air Burning Regulation Bylaw No.1091 1993	FH	- Partial Ban - No burning between the hours of 12 noon Saturday and sunrise of the following Thursday, or during any Stat Holiday	- Administered Through Fire Chief	- Burning Restrictions - Minimum setbacks from buildings, property lines etc. - Prohibited burning materials: rubber, plastic materials, drywall, demolition waste, domestic waste, paint, tar paper, treated lumber, railway ties, manure, asphalt, asphalt products, fuel and lubricant containers, or biomedical waste	- No permit required for a small confined authorized fire in the open air situated upon private property for the purpose of cooking food	- Curbside recycling is run through the regional district - Local dump has organic material drop off
Chase	Outdoor Burning Regulation Bylaw No.730 2010	Both	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban	- Administered Through Fire Chief	- Burning restrictions - Minimum setbacks from buildings, property lines etc. - Prohibited burning materials Exceptions: Burns for Training purposes	- Recreational bonfires, campfires, and BBQs are allowed unless notified by Fire Chief	- Curbside recycling collection as well as recycling drop off -Free yard and garden waste drop off at local landfill
Chetwynd	Fire Protection and Emergency Bylaw No. 468 1989	Both	- Complete ban unless a permit has been obtained	- Administered Through Fire Chief Permits required for all open fires	- Prohibited burning materials		

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Chilliwack	Open Air Burning Regulation Bylaw No.3551 2008	Both		- Administered Through Fire Chief or Bylaw enforcement officer	- Burning restrictions - Minimum setbacks from buildings, property lines etc. - Prohibited burning materials: oil, rubber, plastics, asphalt, chemicals, insulation, treated lumber, garbage, recyclables, demolition waste, land clearing waste, manure etc. Exceptions: Burns for fire training purposes	- Charcoal, gas fired or electric grills and barbecues for the purpose of cooking food are permitted. Campfires exempt from bylaw but are subject to bans by the fire chief.	Curbside collection of waste and recyclables. Two recycling depots and one green waste depot. Also, have a bylaw requiring commercial locations to recycle. Subscription service for collection of yard waste for those interested.
Clearwater	Volunteer Fire Dept. Regulations Bylaw No. 125 2014	Both	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban - Residential open burning is allowed annually in Spring & Fall	- Administered Through Fire Chief	- Burning restrictions - Prohibited burning materials	- Recreational bonfires, campfires, and BBQs are allowed	- Curbside recycling collection
Clinton	Burning Regulation Bylaw No.431 2006	Both	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban -Burning is allowed from September 15 th to May 15 th with permit	- Administered through municipal office	- Burning restrictions - Prohibited burning materials	- Campfires in picnic sites, campsites or on private property allowed	

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Coldstream	Fire Prevention Bylaw No. 1592 2011	Both	-Partial/ Seasonal Ban -Burning is allowed for 2 weeks each spring and fall (dependent on venting and hazards)	-Administered through municipal director of services	- Burning restrictions - Prohibited burning materials: only pruning's may be burned. Permits if: a) Land is in ALR b) Land is greater than 5 acres	-Small fires within grills or BBQs for cooking food are allowed	
Columbia-Shuswap Regional District	Bylaw In Progress/ Under Consideration 2015	Both	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban - Permits for exceptions only	- Administered by Fire Chief	- Burning Restrictions - Minimum setbacks from buildings, property lines etc. - Prohibited burning materials	- Recreational fire, campfire, cooking fires allowed	- Back yard compost education and incentive programs
Colwood	Outdoor Burning Restriction and Regulation Bylaw No.931 2007	AQ	- Complete Ban		Exceptions include: a) (See recreational fires column) b) Burns for fire training purposes c) Fires for special community events which are supervised by the City Fire Department	-Outdoor appliances fuelled by natural gas/propane used to cook, cure or preserve food by means of smoking	-Curbside recycling run through regional district -Yard waste accepted free of charge at the work yard -Yard waste is chipped and later available to the public

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Comox	Fire Prevention and Regulation Bylaw No.1556 2007	Both	- Complete Ban			- Recreational fire, campfire, cooking fires allowed	- Curbside vegetation pickup - Back yard compost education and incentive programs
Comox Valley Regional District	Bylaw In Progress/ Under Consideration 2015						
Coquitlam	Fire Prevention & Life Safety No.3712 2005	Both	- Complete Ban	- Administered by Fire Chief - For exceptions only	Exceptions: Burns for fire training purposes; Fires necessary to public safety; CSA approved outdoor heaters; Special circumstances approved by the fire chief	- Fires contained within appliances for purposes of cooking food allowed	- Curbside vegetation pickup - Back yard compost education and incentive programs
Courtenay	Fire Protective Services Bylaw No. 2556 2008	Both		- Administered by Fire Chief - For exceptions only	- Prohibited burning materials: tires, animal carcasses, oil, tar, asphalt, shingles, battery boxes, plastic materials, or any similar material which may produce heavy black smoke. Exceptions: Burns for fire training purposes	- Permits are required for campfires. No permit required for barbecues (gas fired or charcoal briquette appliances).	Curbside blue bin recycling for all single family residences. Expansion underway to include mutli family houses and businesses. Composters for sale at regional district compost education centre.

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Cowichan Valley Regional District	Smoke Control Regulation Bylaw No.3716 2013	AQ	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban - March 15 th through April 15 th & October 15 th through November 15 th		- Burning Restrictions - Minimum setbacks from buildings, property lines etc. - Prohibited Burning Materials	- Recreational fire, campfire, cooking fires allowed	- Free vegetation drop off sites - Back yard compost education and incentive programs
Cranbrook	Fire Services Bylaw No.3676 2010	Both	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban	- Administered by Fire Chief - For exceptions only	- Burning Restrictions - Minimum setbacks from buildings, property lines etc. - Prohibited Burning Materials	- Recreational fire, campfire, cooking fires allowed	- Free vegetation drop off sites - Back yard compost education and incentive programs
Creston	Fire Services Bylaw No.1674 2008	Both	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban -April & October Only	- Administered by Fire Chief	- Burning restrictions: size restrictions etc. - Minimum setbacks - Prohibited burning materials include tires, plastics, paint, special waste, tar paper, treated lumber, railway ties, rubber asphalt, asphalt products, fuel and lubricant containers.	- Recreational fire, campfire, cooking fires allowed	- organic waste drop off program that is twice yearly during the two permitted months of open burning

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Cumberland	Fire Protection Services and Regulation Bylaw No.998 2014	Both	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban -March 15 th to April 30 th and October 15 th to November 30 th	- Administered by Fire Chief	- Burning Restrictions - Prohibited Burning Materials	- Recreational fire, campfire, cooking fires allowed	
Dawson Creek	Fire Protection Bylaw No.4153 2012	Both	- Partial Ban	- Administered by Fire Chief	- Burning Restrictions -Prohibited Burning Materials - Minimum setbacks from buildings, property lines etc.	- Recreational fire, campfire, cooking fires allowed	
Delta	Fire Regulation Bylaw No. 5855 2001	Both	- Complete Ban	- For exceptions only	Exceptions: a) Agricultural/land clearing burns b) Campfires c) Burns for fire training purposes d) Fire hazard removal	- Barbecues or other approved appliances for cooking food allowed. Campfires require permits.	Curbside recycling and yard trimmings pick up. Apartment recycling program. Free backyard composting workshops
Duncan	Fire Department Prohibit Burning Bylaw No. 1703	Both	- Complete Ban			- This bylaw excludes BBQa and Cob Ovens	-Curbside vegetation pick up

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East Kootenay Regional District	No Bylaw						
Elkford	Fire Protection and Life Safety Bylaw NO. 687 2008		- Burning allowed during daylight hours only	- Administered by the Director of Fire Rescue Services	Exceptions: a) Necessary municipal burning b) Burns for fire training purposes c) (See recreational fires column)	- Small confined fires for cooking food and barbecues are permitted.	
Enderby	Good Neighbour Bylaw No.1478 2010	Both	- Complete Ban	- Administered by Fire Chief and CAO - Permits for exceptions only	- Burning Restrictions - Prohibited burning materials Permits for: a) Urban interface burning b) Agricultural pruning or land clearing c) Fire hazard removal d) Special public function	Barbecues or grills using propane, natural gas or charcoal & campfires in approved campgrounds permitted.	- Curbside Vegetation Pickup
Esquimalt	Fire Protection and Control Bylaw No.2783 2011	AQ	-Complete Ban	- Administered by Fire Chief	-Burning restrictions: Ie. Dependent on weather conditions	-No permits required for small confined fires used for cooking food in grills and barbecues.	Curbside recycling. Free compost drop off for residents.

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Fernie	Rural Fire Protection Services Authorization Bylaw No. 2203 2013	FH	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban -Aligned with Wildfire Branch restrictions	- Administered through director of fire and emergency services	- Burning restrictions - Minimum setbacks - Prohibited burning materials include rubber tires, oil, tar, asphalt, shingles, battery boxes, plastic materials, or any similar material which produces heavy black smoke. Vegetation, household scraps, yard waste etc. is also not allowed.	- Backyard campfires require permits	- Curbside recycling. As part of being a Bear Aware community, there is a community group that organizes an apple exchange
Fraser-Fort George Regional District	No Bylaw						
Fraser Lake	Burning Permits	Both		- Administered by Fire Chief	Burning restrictions - Minimum setbacks - Prohibited burning materials	- Recreational fire, campfire, cooking fires allowed	- Recycle center, composting site.
Fraser Valley Regional District	Bylaw In Progress/ Under Consideration 2015	Both					- Back yard compost education and incentive programs
Fruitvale	Fire Safety & Prevention Bylaw No. 749 2006	FH	- Complete Ban		- Burning Restrictions	- Intermittent campfires and ceremonial fires are permitted	Recycling provided biweekly as well as a drop off depot in town. Village works can hire chipper if necessary.

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Fort St. James	Fire Regulation Bylaw No. 845 2007	Both		- Administered by Fire Chief	- Burning restrictions - Prohibited burning materials	- Requires Permit	Voluntary paper and cardboard drop-off, battery drop-off, "re-use" shed at transfer station.
Fort St. John	Fire Prevention Bylaw No. 2106 2012	Both		-Administered by Fire Chief	- Burning restrictions - Prohibited burning materials - Minimum setbacks from buildings, property lines etc.	- Recreational fire, campfire, cooking fires allowed	
Gibsons	Backyard Burning Bylaw No. 971 Consolidated 2005	AQ	- Partial Ban - Burning allowed with a permit between April 1 st to May 31 st and October 1 st to November 31 st	-Administered by Fire Chief	- Burning restrictions - Minimum setbacks - Prohibited burning materials: only garden waste may be burned. Exceptions: a) Necessary municipal burning b) Burns for fire training purposes	Unknown	Recycling depot. Fruit pick up. Yearly free pick up.
Golden	Outdoor Burning Bylaw Number 824 1991	Both			- Burning restrictions - Minimum setbacks - No burning within 100m of any residence, 500m of any hospital, seniors facility etc.		

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Gold River	Open Burning Bylaw No. 412 (Not available online)	Both	- No open fires during fire season	- Administered by Fire Chief	- Prohibited burning materials: Garbage - 1 day land clearing permit approved/issued by Fire Chief - More than 1 day requires council approval		- Free vegetation drop off sites - Backyard compost education and incentive programs
Grand Forks	Fire and Life Safety Bylaw No.1965 2013	Both	- Complete Ban	- Administered by Fire Chief - For Exceptions Only	- Burning Restrictions - Prohibited Burning Materials	- BBQ and campfires intended for warmth or used solely for the preparation of food is permitted	
Granisle	Open Air Burning Bylaw No. 442 2012	Both	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban	- Administered by Fire Chief	- Burning restrictions - Prohibited burning materials - Minimum setbacks from buildings, property lines etc.	- Recreational fire, campfire, cooking fires allowed	- Backyard compost education and incentive programs
Greenwood	Fire Regulation Bylaw No. 486	FH		- Given out at city hall - Enforced by Fire Chief	- Burning restrictions - Prohibited burning materials - Minimum setbacks from buildings, property lines etc.	- Recreational fire, campfire, cooking fires allowed	

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Harrison Hot Springs	Outdoor Campfire Regulation Bylaw No. 916 2009	Both	- Complete Ban	- Administered by Fire Chief or Corporate Officer - For Exceptions Only		- Only BBQs allowed - Campfires require permit	- Curbside vegetation pick up
Hazelton	No Bylaw						
Highlands	Fire Services Bylaw No. 009 1994	FH		- Administered by Fire Chief	- Burning restrictions: ie. Dependent on weather conditions	- No permits required for small confined fires used for cooking food in grills and barbecues.	- Curbside recycling is run through the regional district
Hope	Fire Bylaw No. 1006 Consolidated 2006	Both	- Partial Ban - Residential burning is only allowed for a 2 week period each Spring and Fall	- Administered by Fire Chief	- Burning restrictions - Minimum setbacks - Prohibited burning materials Exceptions: a) Burns for fire training purposes b) (See recreational fires column)	- Outdoor cooking devices using propane, natural gas, or charcoals are permitted. Small fires for warmth or food preparation burning only season wood is permitted.	Curbside recycling program with unlimited blue bag recycling as well as unlimited compost, yard and garden waste. There is a limit however, to the amount of garbage (solid wastes).
Houston	Open Burning & Air Quality Bylaw No.947 2006	Both		- Administered by Fire Chief	- Burning restrictions - Prohibited burning materials - Minimum setbacks from buildings, property lines etc.	- Recreational fire, campfire, cooking fires allowed unless air quality advisory issued	

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Hudson's Hope	Fire Protection & Life Safety Bylaw No.775 2010	Both	- Complete Ban unless obtained permit	- Administered by Fire Chief	- Burning restrictions - Prohibited burning materials - Minimum setbacks from buildings, property lines etc.	- Recreational fire, campfire, cooking fires allowed	- Free vegetation drop off sites - Backyard compost education and incentive programs
Invermere	Fire and Life Safety Bylaw No.1420 2010	Both	- Complete Ban	- Administered by Fire Chief - For Exceptions Only	Burning restrictions - Minimum setbacks - Prohibited burning materials Exceptions: a) Urban interface clearing b) Agricultural land clearing c) Removal of a fire hazard d) Special public function	Campfires and outdoor fireplaces being used for cooking, heat or light compliant with burning restrictions are allowed.	Curbside recycling and yellow bin program. Landfill accepts wood waste at no cost.
Islands Trust	Bylaw In Progress/ Under Consideration 2015	Both	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban	- Administered by Fire Chief	- Burning restrictions - Prohibited burning materials - Minimum setbacks from buildings, property lines etc.	- Recreational fire, campfire, cooking fires allowed	
Kamloops	Fire Prevention Bylaw No.10-35 2012	Both	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban	- Administered by Fire Chief	- Burning restrictions - Prohibited burning materials - Yard waste burning may only occur on days when the smoke ventilation index is 55 or greater	- Campfires and recreational fires require permits. Barbecues are allowed	- Free vegetation drop off sites - Backyard compost education and incentive programs

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Kaslo	Outdoor Burning Regulation Bylaw No.1102 2010	Both	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Partial/ Seasonal Ban -Garden refuse may be burned between April 15th to May 15th and October 1st to October 31st. - Large burns/land clearing fires are only permitted between February 15th to March 15th and November 1st to November 30th 	- Administered through the Village of Kaslo Office	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Burning restrictions - Minimum setbacks - Prohibited burning materials: tires, oil, tar asphalt, shingles, batteries, plastic and other substances which produce heavy black smoke, noxious odours or toxic residue. 	- Cooking fires or fires for ceremonial purposes contained within a Barbecue/fire pit meeting size requirements are allowed. Barbecues are also allowed.	- Recycling depot. - Yard waste collection operates twice yearly.
Kelowna	Fire & Life Safety Bylaw No. 10760 2003	FH	- Ban	- Administered by Fire Chief	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Burning restrictions - Prohibited burning materials - Minimum setbacks from buildings, property lines etc. 	- Recreational fire, campfire, cooking fires allowed	

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Kent	Fire Prevention and Protection Regulation Bylaw No. 1448 2009	Both	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban - No Burning from mid-May to September 30 th	- Administered by Fire Chief	- Burning restrictions: burning is only permitted outside city limits, check venting index etc. - Minimum setbacks - Prohibited burning materials Exceptions: a) Burns for fire training purposes b) Approved religious or ceremonial burns	-Barbecues allowed. Permits for campfires outside city limits. No permit for campfires in approved campsites.	Green waste drop off, recycling drop off and pick up (by private contractor), semi-annual drop off of green waste and tree prunings.
Keremeos	Fire Regulation Bylaw No. 665 2003	FH	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban - Burning allowed from October 1 st to May 1 st		- Burning restrictions - Minimum setbacks - Prohibited burning materials: industrial or commercial waste, refuse, rubbish, garbage, prunings etc.	- Campfires meeting burning restrictions allowed	Biweekly curbside recycling. Biweekly yard waste collection from March to November. Large item collection for 1 week in May.
Kimberley	Open Burning Bylaw No.2364 2009	Both		- Administered by Fire Chief	- Burning restrictions - Prohibited burning materials - Minimum setbacks from buildings, property lines etc.	- Recreational fire, campfire, cooking fires allowed - Backyard BBQ pits allowed with a permit	- Backyard compost education and incentive programs - Chipping program (ie. Pruning, Christmas Trees etc.)

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Kitimat	Fire Protection Bylaw No.5.2	Both	- Partial Ban	- Administered by Fire Chief	- Burning restrictions - Prohibited burning materials: rubbish, garbage and plastic, as well as any materials resulting in the production of dense, black smoke.	- Residential fire pits within the city limits are allowed dependent on burning restrictions.	Recycling depot addresses paper products, computer hardware & various electronic components.
Kitimat-Stikine Regional District	No Bylaw						Runs zero waste program which encourages recycling, natural yard care, composting etc.
Kootenay Boundary Regional District	Fire Safety & Prevention Bylaw No. 560	FH		- Permits required	- Open burning is by permit only.		Curbside recycling. Operates multiple transfer stations which accept recyclables and yard and garden waste.
Ladysmith	Fire Prevention Bylaw 1815 2013	FH		- Administered by Fire Chief - Permits for Exceptions Only	- Burning restrictions - Prohibited burning materials - Minimum setbacks from buildings, property lines etc.	- Recreational fire, campfire, cooking fires allowed	- Free Vegetation drop off sites

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Lake Country	Burning Bylaw No. 612 2010	Both	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban	- Administered by Fire Chief	- Burning restrictions. - Prohibited burning materials: tires, treated lumber, plastics railway ties, drywall, manure, demolition waste, rubber, domestic waste, asphalt, paint, hazardous waste, fuel and lubricant containers, etc.	- Campfires are permitted provided they follow burning restriction.	- Curbside Vegetation Pick up - Backyard compost education and incentive programs
Lake Cowichan	Outdoor Burning Regulation Bylaw No. 878 2009	Both	- Complete Ban	- For Exceptions Only	Exceptions: - Fires for land clearing/ development - Special occasions/ - Ceremonial purposes - Burns for fire training purposes d) (See recreational fires column)	Cooking fires contained within a barbecue pit, fire pit or other device, as well as barbecues are permitted.	Curbside recycling, talk about including organics in program.
Langford	Burning and Fire Regulation Bylaw No.1532 2014	Both	- Partial Ban - Allowed February 15 th - March 15 th and November 1 st - November 20 th	- Administered by Fire Chief	- Burning restrictions - Prohibited burning materials - Minimum setbacks from buildings, property lines etc.	- Campfires must obtain a verbal permit from the Fire Department - Barbeques are exempt from bylaw	

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Langley City	Fire Protection and Safety Bylaw No. 2784 2013	Both	- Complete Ban	- Issued by Fire Rescue Services and the Fire Chief - For Exceptions Only	- Burning Restrictions - Minimum setbacks - Prohibited burning Materials Exceptions: Burns for fire training purposes	- Grills and barbecues used for purpose of cooking are permitted.	Curbside collection of garbage, recycling, and green waste/yard trimmings.
Langley Township	Fire Prevention Bylaw No.4956 2013	Both	- Partial Ban - Burning allowed between April 1st to April 30th and September 15th to October 30th.	- Administered by Fire Chief - For Exceptions Only	- Burning restrictions - Minimum setbacks - Permit types: Outdoor burning, Land clearing, Special Burning, Campfire. - Prohibited burning materials Exceptions: a) Burns for fire training purposes	- Fires within CSA approved appliances for cooking of food permitted (barbecues). Permit for campfires.	Composting in place. Curbside recycling and drop off. Large item pick up day.
Lantzville	Fire Protection Services Bylaw No. 86 2010	Both	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban	- Administered by Fire Chief	- Burning Restrictions - Minimum setbacks - Prohibited burning Materials	Outdoor fires in fire pits, beach fires or cooking fires are permitted if in compliance with burning restrictions.	
Lillooet	Fire and Safety Regulation Bylaw No.202 2004	FH	- Partial Ban - Burning allowed with permit between October 1st and April 30th.	- Administered by Fire Chief	- Prohibited burning Materials	- Recreational fire, campfire, cooking fires allowed	

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Lions Bay	Fire Bylaw No.428 2011	Both	- Complete Ban	- Administered by Fire Chief	-Burning Restrictions Exceptions: a) Burns for fire training purposes b) Fire hazard removal	Barbecues allowed unless total ban in place.	- Curbside Vegetation Pickup
Logan Lake	Fire Department Regulations Bylaw No.630 2012	Both	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban	- Administered by Fire Chief	-Burning Restrictions - Minimum setbacks - Prohibited burning Materials	- Recreational fire, campfire, cooking fires allowed	- Backyard compost education and incentive programs
Lumby	Burning Bylaw No.635 2005	Both	- Partial Ban	- Through Village Designate	-Burning Restrictions - Minimum setbacks - Prohibited burning Materials	- Recreational fire, campfire, cooking fires allowed	- Curbside Vegetation Pickup
Lytton	Burning Bylaw No.663 2012	Both		- Through Corporate Officer from the Village Office	-Burning Restrictions - Minimum setbacks - Prohibited burning Materials	- Appliances for the purpose of cooking food or for heat purposes are exempt from this bylaw	
Mackenzie	Fire Protection Services Bylaw No.1249 2010	FH		- Administered by Fire Chief - 3 open Fire Categories	- Burning restrictions - Minimum setbacks - Prohibited burning materials: anything which produces dense smoke or noxious odours Exceptions: a) Burns for fire training purposes b) Removal of fire hazards	- Requires Permit	-Regional District of FFG, has transfer station with recycling availability. Backyard composters available for sale through Regional District at reduced prices.

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Maple Ridge	Outdoor Burning Regulation Bylaw No.5535 2005	Both	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban -Residential burning allowed from April 15th to May 15th and October 15th to November 15th.	- Administered by Fire Chief	-Burning Restrictions - Minimum setbacks - Prohibited burning Materials Exceptions: Agricultural required burning; Special Situation required burning; Fire Department Training	- Recreational fire, campfire, cooking fires allowed	- Curbside Vegetation pick up
Masset	No Bylaw						
McBride	Open Burning Control Bylaw No. 680 2008	FH		- Administered by Fire Chief	Burning restrictions - Minimum setbacks - Prohibited burning materials: anything which produces dense smoke or noxious odours Exceptions: a) Burns for fire training purposes b) Removal of fire hazards	- Requires Permit	- Regional District of FFG, has transfer station with recycling availability. Backyard composters available for sale through Regional District at reduced prices.
Merritt	Fire & Safety Regulation Bylaw No.1905 2009	Both	- Complete ban	- Administered by Fire Chief - Special permits for exceptions only	- Minimum setbacks - Prohibited burning materials Special permits: a) Community events or rituals b) Urban interface burning	- Grills and barbecues are allowed.	- Regional district recycling depot.

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Metchosin	Fire Regulation and Prevention Bylaw No. 269 2008	Both	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban - Burning is not permitted: between 6:00pm of one day and 8:00am of the next day; between the hours of 12pm Saturday to 8:00am the following Monday between April and September; On Holidays.	- Administered by Fire Chief	- Minimum setbacks - Prohibited burning materials: rubbish, rubber goods, tires, oil, tar, asphalt shingles, battery boxes, plastic material or any materials that would produce or emit heavy black smoke. - Exceptions: a) (See recreational fires column) b) Necessary municipal burning c) Burns for fire training purposes d) Operation of a crematorium operated under a Provincial Waste Management Permit	- Bylaw does not apply to small confined fires used for cooking on grills or barbecues, and fires in constructed fire pits.	- The municipality promotes on site composting of natural habitat.
Metro Vancouver	Bylaw In Progress/ Under Consideration 2015	AQ	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban (Under Consideration)	- Permits for exceptions only (Under Consideration)	- Burning Restrictions - Minimum setbacks from buildings, property lines etc. - Prohibited Burning Materials (Under Consideration)	- Recreational bonfires, campfires, and BBQs are allowed (Under Consideration)	N/A

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Midway	Fire Services and Regulations Bylaw No.451 2014	Both	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban	- Administered by Fire Chief - Permits for exceptions only	- Burning Restrictions - Minimum setbacks from buildings, property lines etc. - Prohibited Burning Materials	- Recreational bonfires, campfires, and BBQs are allowed	- Free vegetation drop off sites
Mission	Burning Bylaw 2975 2012	Both	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban - Yard debris burning allowed in April and November	- Administered by Fire Chief - Permits for exceptions only - Backyard fire pit and Special occasion burning	- Burning Restrictions - Minimum setbacks from buildings, property lines etc.	- Recreational bonfires, campfires, and BBQs are allowed -- Backyard fire pit and Special occasion burning (ceremonial) require permit	- Curbside vegetation pick up - Back yard compost education - Free vegetation drop off sites for food and “soft” yard waste only
Montrose	Open Burning Bylaw No.619 2004	Both	- Complete Ban	- Permits for exceptions only	- Prohibited burning materials: yard waste. Exceptions: a) Urban interface clearing, agricultural pruning, and land clearing/burns for the Right to Farm Act b) Fire hazard removal/ Prescribed burns for the MoF	- Barbeques are allowed. Fire pits and fireplaces are not permitted.	- Curbside recycling biweekly.
Mount Waddington Regional District	No Bylaw						-There is recycling and composting at the transfer stations as well as landfill.

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Nakusp	Fire Regulation Bylaw No. 558 2010	Both	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban -Summer Season	- Administered by Fire Chief and Village Staff	- Burning Restrictions - Prohibited Burning Materials	- Recreational fire, campfire, cooking fires allowed	
Nanaimo	Fire Protection and Life Safety Regulation Bylaw No.7108 201	Both	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban - Burning permitted April 1 st - 30 th and November 1 st - 30 th	- Administered by Fire Chief or an Officer	- Burning Restrictions - Minimum setbacks - Prohibited burning materials	- Cooking Fires are allowed as long as not contrary to general burning ban.	City wide composting program. Zero waste program run by regional district.
Nelson	Fire Regulation and Prevention Bylaw No. 3268 2014	Both	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban	- Administered by Fire Chief - Permits for Exceptions only	- Burning Restrictions - Prohibited Burning Materials	- Requires permit	
New Denver	Outdoor Burning Regulation Bylaw No.591 (Not available online) 2005	Both	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban - Burning allowed from April 1 st -May 5 th and September 30 th - November 15 th	- Administered through the Village office	- Burning restrictions - Minimum setbacks - Prohibited burning materials Exceptions: a) Burns for fire training purposes b) Fire hazard removal	-Barbecues and cooking fires in a pit with a surface area of 4 square feet or less	Recycling drop off. Twice annual arbour day (free collection of yard waste, leaves, branches etc.)
New Hazelton	No Bylaw						

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New Westminster	Fire Protection Bylaw No.2406 Amended in 2006	FH	- Complete Ban		Exceptions: a) Burns for fire training purposes b) Fire hazard removal	- Permits needed for campfires. Barbecues allowed	Curbside recycling. "Clean green cart" pick up of organic wastes.
North Cowichan	Fire Protection Bylaw No. 3340 Update In Progress	Both	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban - Burning restricted to October 15 th - November 15 th and March 15 th - April 15 th when venting index is good		- Burning Restrictions - Minimum setbacks from buildings, property lines etc. - Prohibited Burning Materials	- Recreational fire, campfire, cooking fires allowed	- Free vegetation drop off sites
Northern Rockies Regional District	Property Maintenance Bylaw No.12 2009	AQ			- Prohibited burning materials: household garbage	- Recreational fire, campfire, cooking fires allowed	
North Saanich	Fire Prevention Bylaw No. 962	Both	- Partial/ Seasonal ban	- Administered by Fire Chief	- Burning Restrictions - Minimum setbacks from buildings, property lines etc. - Prohibited Burning Materials	- No permit required for barbecues, fireplaces, or campstoves designed for cooking food. - Beachfires require permits.	- Free vegetation drop off sites

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North Okanagan Regional District	Open Burning Bylaw No. 2514 2011	Both	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban - Burning is allowed for 2 weeks each Spring and Fall.	- Administered Through Regional office	- Burning Restrictions - Minimum setbacks - Prohibited burning materials Exceptions: a) Burns for fire training purposes	- Small confined fires are allowed.	- Free drop off at landfill for 6 weeks for yard waste, as well as period with reduced tipping fee
North Vancouver (City of)	Fire Bylaw No.7709 2005	FH		- Administered by Fire Chief	- Exceptions: a) Burns for fire training purposes	- Small confined cooking fires on grills/barbecues allowed.	
North Vancouver (District of)	Fire Bylaw No.7481 Amended in 2010	FH	- Complete Ban	- Administered by Fire Chief	Exceptions: a) Rural areas (North of Cascades, not road accessible) b) Theatrical purposes c) Campfires d) Government purposes on land not accessible by road e) Burns for fire training purposes	- Permits for campfires. Barbecues are allowed (propane, natural gas, charcoals)	- Normal curbside recycling of paper and mixed paper products, recyclable containers, green waste. Green procurement policy. Internal 'Green Team' to promote green initiatives
Oak Bay	Fire Regulation Bylaw No.3803 Amended in 2008	FH	- Complete Ban		Exceptions: a) Not-for-profit community events which Council has determined to be for the benefit of the Municipality at large b) Burns for fire training purposes	- Fires fuelled solely by natural gas, propane or charcoal briquettes solely for the cooking of food that meet burning restrictions.	Curbside recycling is run through the regional district.

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Okanagan-Similkameen Regional District	Open Air Burning Regulations Bylaw No.2364	Both	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban -No burning between April 15th and October 15th	- Administered by Fire Chief	- Burning Restrictions - Prohibited Burning Materials	- Barbecues, campfires for cooking or warmth meeting restrictions allowed.	- Backyard compost education and incentive programs
Oliver	Volunteer Fire Department Establishment & Fire Regulations Bylaw No. 636 1991	Both	- Complete Ban - For special permits, burning is allowed from October 15th to April 15th .	- Through fire chief for exceptions (special permits)	- Burning restrictions - Prohibited burning materials Exceptions: a) Land clearing purposes/ALR Exceptions: a) Burns for fire training purposes	- Barbecues/grills allowed. Fires in approved fire pits during daylight hours for cooking allowed.	- Biweekly curbside recycling. Biweekly yard waste collection from March to November. Large item collection for 1 week in May.
Osoyoos	Fire Protection Bylaw No. 643	AQ	- Complete Ban - Burning is by permit only	- Administered by Fire Chief	- Burning is by permit only		- Curbside recycling. Composting.
Parksville	Outdoor Burning Bylaw No. 1428 Updates In Progress	Both	- Complete Ban	- Administered by Fire Chief - For Exceptions Only		- Recreational fire, campfire, cooking fires allowed	
Peace River Regional District	No Bylaw						

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Peachland	Fire and Life Safety & Smoke Regulatory Bylaw No.1718 2007	Both		- Administered by Fire Chief	- Burning restrictions - Minimum setbacks - Prohibited burning materials: tires, drywall, plastics, rubber, asphalt, demolition waste, domestic waste, paint, fuel/fuel containers, biomedical waste etc. Exceptions: a) Fire hazard removal		
Pemberton	Fire Prevention Bylaw No.744 2013	Both	- Complete Ban - Burning Requires Permit	- Administered by Fire Chief - Permits for exceptions only	- Burning restrictions - Prohibited burning materials	- Recreational fire, campfire, cooking fires allowed	
Penticton	Fire and Life Safety Bylaw No. 57 2004	FH	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban	- Administered by Fire Chief	- Burning restrictions - Minimum setbacks - Prohibited burning materials Permits for: a) Land greater than 1 acre b) Fire hazard removal c) Ceremonial purposes d) Land clearing	- Barbecues using charcoal, propane or nat. gas, and fires in city fire pits for warmth or cooking allowed.	Biweekly curbside recycling. Biweekly yard waste collection from March to November. Large item collection for 1 week in May.

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Pitt Meadows	Burning Regulation Bylaw No.2406 2013	Both	- Complete Ban on back yard fire pits - Partial/ Seasonal Ban - Certain Months - Agricultural Burning Seasonal	- Administered through Fire Chief and City Hall	- Burning Restrictions - Minimum setbacks - Prohibited burning materials	- Complete ban on back yard fire pits	- Curbside vegetation pick up - Backyard compost education and incentive programs
Port Alberni	Fire Regulation Bylaw No.3599 Consolidated 2011	FH	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban - Burning is banned May 1 st through October 31 st	- Permits for exceptions only		- Permitted after consultation with Fire Chief	
Port Alice	Fire Department & Fire Prevention Bylaw No.509 2005	FH	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban	- Administered through municipal hall	- Burning restrictions - Minimum setbacks - Prohibited burning materials: Only yard materials may be burned	- Recreational fire, campfire, cooking fires allowed	- Very active recycling society - Transfer station.
Port Clements	Volunteer Fire Department Bylaw No. 91 1980	FH	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban - Burning is through permit only April 15 th to October 15 th	- Administered through Fire Chief or village clerk	- Burning restrictions		- Recycling facilities available at local landfill.

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Port Coquitlam	Fire and Emergency Services Bylaw No. 3880 2014	Both	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban	- Administered through Fire Chief	- Burning Restrictions - Minimum Setbacks - Prohibited Burning Materials	- Recreational fire, campfire, cooking fires allowed - Special/ ceremonial burning by permit only	- Curbside vegetation pickup - Backyard compost & incentive programs
Port Edward	Open Air Burning Bylaw No. 534 2013	FH		- Administered through Fire Chief	- Burning Restrictions - Minimum Setbacks - Prohibited Burning Materials	- Recreational fire, campfire, cooking fires allowed	- Curbside vegetation pickup
Port Hardy	Open Burning and Smoke Control Bylaw No. 15 2012	Both	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban	- Administered by the municipality and copied to the Fire Chief for information	- Burning Restrictions - Minimum Setbacks - Prohibited Burning Materials - Can only undertake permitted burns on days when the BC venting index for North Van. Isle. Is good	- Recreational fire, campfire, cooking fires allowed - Subject to Provincial fire bans	- Free vegetation drop off sites
Port McNeill	No Official Bylaw						

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Port Moody	Fire Protection & Emergency Response Bylaw No.2835 2010	Both	- Complete Ban	- Administered by Fire Chief - For exceptions only	Burning restrictions - Prohibited burning materials Exceptions: a) Burns for fire training purposes b) Special event or activity approved by Council c) Theatrical purposes d) Burns under government jurisdiction e) Burns with approved permit	- Small fires on private property for personal warmth and cooking allowed. CSA approved barbecues and devices allowed.	- Subsidized backyard and worm composters. Green waste (yard, kitchen) collection Recycling collection (single-stream) & drop off
Pouce Coupe	Bylaw In Progress/ Under Consideration 2015						
Powell River	Fire Prevention Bylaw No. 1932 Amended in 2005	Both	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban	- Administered through municipal hall	- Minimum setbacks - Prohibited burning materials: only yard waste may be burned. Exceptions: a) Burns for fire training purposes	- Barbecues and campfires in municipal campsites are allowed.	Curbside recycling pick up.
Powell River Regional District	No Bylaw for entire Regional District						

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Prince George	Fire Protection and Emergency Response Bylaw No. 8272 2013	Both		- Administered by Fire Chief	- Burning Restrictions	- Recreational fire, campfire, cooking fires allowed	- Free vegetation drop off sites
Prince Rupert	Fire Control and Protection Bylaw No. 2944 1995	FH			- Burning Restrictions - Prohibited Burning Materials	- Recreational fire, campfire, cooking fires allowed	Recycling depot and facilities available at local landfill.
Princeton	Air Pollution Control Bylaw No. 309 1982	AQ	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban -No Burning from April 15 th to October 15 th	- Administered by Fire Chief	- Burning restrictions - Prohibited burning materials Exceptions: a) Necessary municipal burning	- Barbecues allowed.	Curbside recycling with additional recyclables taken to local recycling depot.
Qualicum Beach	Outdoor Burning Bylaw No. 1482 2007	Both	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban - Burning is allowed from October 15th to November 15th , and March 15th to April 15 th	- Administered by Fire Chief	- Burning restrictions - Minimum setbacks - Prohibited burning materials	- Beach fires, campfires, and cooking fires are allowed provided they meet burning restrictions.	-Food waste collection - Bi-annual yard waste chipping - Recycling pick up
Queen Charlotte	No Bylaw						

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Quesnel	Fire Protection, Prevention and Emergency Services Bylaw No. 1685 2011	Both	- Complete Ban	- Administered by Fire Chief - For exceptions only	- Prohibited burning materials: household scraps, rubber tires, oil, tar, asphalt, shingles, battery boxes, plastic material, or any similar material which produces heavy black smoke. Exceptions: a) Fires for land clearing purposes b) Fire hazard removal c) Burning of industrial or commercial waste in conjunction with permit through MoE	- Barbecues and backyard campfires are allowed provided they meet burning restrictions.	Several recycling companies that come door to door for pick-up. City recycling programs, numerous recycling stations throughout community. Recycling depot at city landfill with two composting stations.
Radium Hot Springs	Open Burning Bylaw No. 297 2005	Both	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban - Mondays through Friday inclusive		- Burning restrictions - Minimum setbacks - Prohibited burning materials	- Barbecues allowed.	-
Revelstoke	Fire Prevention, Protection and Control Services Bylaw No.1772 2005	Both			- Burning restrictions - Prohibited burning materials: dimensional lumber, demolition waste, paper, cardboard material	- "Special occasion" fires only. These are fires contained in fire pits for cooking and social gatherings.	

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Richmond	Fire Protection and Life Safety Bylaw No.8306 Amended in 2011	FH		- Administered by Fire Chief	- Burning restrictions include burning during daylight hours only etc. - Minimum setbacks - Prohibited burning materials: rubber tires, roofing materials, petroleum products and standing crops. Exceptions: a) Burns for fire training purposes	- Barbecues and approved appliances for cooking of food allowed.	- Blue Box and Blue Cart Recycling, Recycling Depot (Product Stewardship programs). Backyard composting. Yard trimmings drop-off program. - Residential Green Can food scraps/organics collection program.
Rossland	Burning Bylaw No.2383 2007	Both	- Complete Ban	- Permits for exceptions only	- Burning Restrictions - Prohibited Burning Materials	- Recreational fire, campfire, cooking fires allowed	- Curbside recycling biweekly.
Saanich	Fire Prevention Bylaw No. 8807 2006	FH	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban - Burning is banned within urban boundaries	- Administered by Fire Chief	- Burning restrictions - Prohibited burning materials: treated wood, plastics and rubber products, animal/vegetable/food organic wastes, petroleum products, paints, any other garbage/refuse. - Exceptions: a) Burns for fire training purposes b) Fires for ceremonial purposes	- Barbecues only	- Curbside Recycling. Garden refuse drop off is free of charge.

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Salmo	Fire Prevention Bylaw No. 637 2012	FH	- Complete Ban	- Administered by Fire Chief - For exceptions only	- Burning Restrictions - Minimum Setbacks - Prohibited Burning Materials	- Recreational fire, campfire, cooking fires allowed	- Curbside vegetation pickup
Salmon Arm	Fire Prevention and Fire Department Bylaw No.3792 2010	Both	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban - No burning from June 15th to September 15th . Garden refuse may be burnt from March 15th to April 15th and during the month of October with permit	- Administered by Fire Chief	- Burning restrictions - Minimum setbacks - Prohibited burning materials Exceptions: a) Public or Special Events b) Necessary federal, provincial, regional or municipal burning subject to approval by MoE and emergency services.	- Open burning permits may be issued at any time for campfires and may be valid for a maximum of one year	- Curbside garbage and recycling collection. CSRD drop-off at landfill (yard debris) is free, while city has done free pick-up in previous years
Sayward	Fire Protective Services Bylaw No.383 2010	FH	- Complete Ban	- Administered by Fire Chief - For exceptions only	- Burning restrictions - Minimum setbacks - Prohibited burning materials: tires, animal carcasses, oil, tar, asphalt, shingles, or any similar material which may produce heavy black smoke.	- Barbecues, grills and fires for warmth within a fire ring (50cm across or less) are allowed	- Recycling

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Sechelt	Open Air Burning Bylaw No. 486 2012	Both	- Complete Ban	- For exceptions only	- Prohibited burning materials Exceptions: a) Ceremonial purposes b) Land clearing/development purposes	- Campfires for food or warmth only (clean wood only, no burning of debris)	- Curbside recycling
Sechelt Nation	Burning & Smoke Release Law No. 03 2008	Both	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban - Burning is permitted between October 14 th and April 16 th		Burning restrictions - Prohibited burning materials. Garden refuse only Exceptions: a) Smokehouses for traditional food preparation b) Burns for fire training purposes c) Traditional or spiritual ceremonies	- Campfires meeting burning requirements allowed (unless banned by fire department)	- Yard waste and fish waste composting to generate “Salish Soils” – a fertile top soil.
Sicamous	Outdoor Burning Bylaw No. 452 Amended in 2008	FH	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban - Burning is permitted in the first 2 weeks of April and last 2 weeks of October. Land clearing fires are not permitted on Weekends or Stat Holidays	- Administered by Fire Chief	- Burning restrictions - Prohibited burning materials: only garden refuse may be burned.		

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Sidney	Fire Regulation Bylaw No.1627 2000	Both	- Complete Ban	- For exceptions only	Exceptions: a) Special permits for fires at community events, such as Halloween b) Fires by the department for training and demonstrations	- Only barbecues are permitted	- Curbside recycling is run through the regional district. Monthly yard waste pickup through municipality
Silverton	No Bylaw						
Skeen-Queen Charlotte Regional District	No Bylaw						
Slocan	No Bylaw						
Smithers	Open Burning Bylaw No.1155 1996	FH	- Complete Ban	- Exceptions only for land clearing purposes	- Burning restrictions - Minimum setbacks - Prohibited burning materials		
Sooke	Fire Protection Services Bylaw No.929 2007	Both	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban - No burning from May 1st to September 30 th	- Administered by Fire Chief	- Burning restrictions - Minimum setbacks - Prohibited burning materials	- Recreational fire, campfire, cooking fires allowed	

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Spallumcheen	Fire Bylaw No.1117 2013	Both	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban	- Administered through regional office	- Burning restrictions - Minimum setbacks - Prohibited burning materials - “Right to farm” act as a guide on the length of open burning available	- Recreational fire, campfire, cooking fires allowed	- Curbside vegetation pickup once a year in the 3 urban areas - Free vegetation drop off sites (local landfill incentive through RDNO) - Backyard compost education and incentive programs (through RDNO)
Sparwood	Fire Services Bylaw No.974 2008	Both	- Complete Ban	- Administered by Fire Chief - For exceptions only	- Burning restrictions - Minimum setbacks - Prohibited burning materials	- Recreational fire, campfire, cooking fires allowed	- Free vegetation drop off sites - Backyard compost education and incentive programs
Squamish	Fire Service Bylaw No. 2314 2014	Both	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban	- Administered by Fire Chief	- Burning restrictions - Minimum setbacks - Prohibited burning materials	- Recreational fire, campfire, cooking fires allowed	- Curbside vegetation pickup

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Squamish-Lillooet	Fire Protection Services Bylaw No. 1110 2008	Both		- Administered by Fire Chief	- Burning restrictions - Prohibited burning materials	- Recreational fire, campfire, cooking fires allowed	- Free vegetation drop off sites - Backyard compost education and incentive programs - People in the Howe Sound East area can take their vegetation and yard waste to the Squamish landfill, which will compost it.
Stewart	No Bylaw						
Strathcona Regional District	No Bylaw						
Summerland	Fire and Life Safety Bylaw No. 2421 Consolidated in 2010	Both	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban	- Administered by Fire Chief	- Burning restrictions - Minimum setbacks - Prohibited burning materials	- No bonfires - Campfires must follow burning restrictions	- Biweekly recycling collection - Monthly curbside yard waste collection (excluding December and January) - Free composting drop off at landfill.
Sun Peaks	Fire and Life Safety Bylaw No.0007 2010	Both		- Permits for exceptions only	- Burning restrictions - Prohibited burning materials Exceptions: a) Necessary municipal burning b) Burns for fire training purposes	- Campfires and outdoor barbecues for cooking food allowed	Recycling programs on the mountain (mostly paper). Heffley Creek landfill takes all kinds of waste

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Sunshine Coast	Fire Protection Bylaw No. 631 2011	Both	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban	- Administered by Fire Chief	- Burning restrictions - Prohibited burning materials	- Recreational fire, campfire, cooking fires allowed	- Free vegetation drop off sites
Surrey	Fire Prevention Bylaw No.10771 1990	Both	- Complete Ban	- Administered by Fire Chief - For exceptions only	Exceptions: a) Occupants of agricultural property b) Occupants of farm property c) Burns for fire training purposes d) Fire hazard removal	- Campfires are not permitted, but CSA approved devices for cooking food are (barbecues)	- Curbside recycling - Curbside yard waste collection - Branch collection program
Tahsis	Outdoor Burning Bylaw No. 516 2005	FH	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban - No burning April 14th to October 14th	- Administered by Fire Chief	- Burning restrictions - Minimum setbacks - Prohibited burning materials: only garden refuse may be burned Exceptions: a) Necessary municipal burning b) Burns for fire training purposes	- Campfires and small confined fires used for the cooking of food on barbecues and grills	
Taylor	No Bylaw						

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Telkwa	Open Air Burning bylaw No. 598 2010	Both	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban	- Administered by Fire Chief, Deputy Chief or designate	- Burn restrictions: dependent on venting, winds etc. - Prohibited burning materials: only brush material including tree limbs and branches, leaves, bush trimmings or raked grass shall be burned - Minimum setbacks	- Outdoor fire pit/cooking fire allowed between 7:00am-1:00am dependent upon burning restrictions	
Terrace	Fire Prevention Bylaw No.1365 Consolidated 2009	Both	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban	- Administered by Fire Chief	- Burning restrictions: burning may only occur in specific zoned areas. - Prohibited burning materials: waste materials except for resulting from logging, agriculture etc. under class "A" permit.	- Small confined fires for purpose of cooking food in barbecues or fire pits are permitted	
Thompson-Nicola Regional District	No Bylaw						
Tofino	Open Burning Bylaw No. 1071 2008	AQ	- Complete Ban		- Minimum setbacks Exceptions: a) Burns for fire training purposes	- Barbecues and campfires only	- Currently have curbside recycling but are working on a chipping/composting program

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Trail	Fire Safety & Prevention Bylaw No. 2335 1996	Both	- Complete Ban	- For Exceptions Only	- Exceptions: a) Land clearing purposes		- Curbside recycling. - Composting program at local landfill run by regional district
Tumbler Ridge	Fire Services Bylaw No. 573 2011	Both	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban	- Administered by Fire Chief	- Burning restrictions - Minimum setbacks - Prohibited burning materials Exceptions: a) Public works b) Burns for fire training purposes	- Allowed in barbecues, fireplaces or outdoor fire pits	- Recycling bins downtown - Transfer station
Ucluelet	Outdoor Burning Bylaw No. 978 2005	AQ	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban - Burning allowed during first 2 weeks of April & last 2 weeks of October	- Administered by Fire Chief	Minimum setbacks - Prohibited burning materials: noxious, explosive, toxic, and corrosive materials. Exceptions: a) Fires for ceremonial purposes	- Beach fires and fires for cooking or warmth are allowed within barbecues or fire pits	- Curbside recycling is run through the Regional District - Composting is not recommended due to wild animals in the area
Valemount	Open Air Burning Bylaw No. 673 2011 (Not available online)	Both	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban - Permits required for burning between May 1 st and September 30th	- Administered through the Village office	- Burning restrictions - Minimum setbacks - Prohibited burning materials	- Recreational fire, campfire, cooking fires allowed	- Free vegetation drop off sites - Backyard compost education and incentive programs

Local Government	Bylaw Name	FH or AQ?	Complete or Partial Ban?	Permits	Bylaw Provisions Include:	Recreational fire, Campfires, Cooking Fires Allowed?	Alternatives?
Vancouver (City of)	Fire Bylaw No.8191	Both	- Complete Ban	- Administered by Fire Chief - For exceptions only	- Burning Restrictions	- fires contained in a barbeque or other appliance specifically designed for such purpose for the purpose of cooking food allowed - This bylaw does not prohibit propane barbeques	- Curbside vegetation pickup - Free vegetation drop off
Vanderhoof	Burning Control Regulations Bylaw No. 988 Amended in 2010	FH		- Administered by Fire Chief	- Burning is subject to venting index - Prohibited burning materials: rubbish, paint, tires, oil, tar or petroleum product, asphalt shingles, batter boxes, plastic material, biomedical waste or any similar materials	- Campfires and small, confined fires for cooking on barbecues and grills are allowed except during burning bans	
Vernon	Fire Prevention Bylaw No.5263 2010 Bylaw currently being rewritten 2015	FH	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban - Open burning is allowed for agricultural or land clearing purposes on large properties from Feb 28 to April 30 each year	- Administered by Fire Chief	- Burning Restrictions - Prohibited Burning Materials	- Campfires and fire appliances currently allowed but current rewrite proposes a ban	- Curbside vegetation pickup - Free vegetation drop off - Back yard compost education & incentive program - Christmas tree drop off program - 1 pickup of leaves and pruning's spring and fall

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Victoria	Fire Prevention and Regulation Bylaw No.14-100 2014	Both	- Complete Ban	- Administered by Fire Chief - For exceptions only	- Burning Restrictions	- Recreational fire, campfire, cooking fires allowed	- Curbside vegetation pickup - Free vegetation drop off - Back yard compost education & incentive program
View Royal	Fire Services Bylaw No. 114	Both	- Complete Ban		- Exceptions: Properties under the Agricultural reserve are only permitted under farming act	- BBQ Only	- Curbside vegetation pickup once a year - Free vegetation drop off - Back yard compost education & incentive program
Warfield	Fire Protection Bylaw No. 14 (Not available online) 1953	FH	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban - No burning from May 1 st to September 30 th	- Administered by Fire Chief	- Minimum setbacks - Prohibited burning materials	- Recreational fire, campfire, cooking fires allowed	Curbside recycling through regional district. Garden waste pick up every second week in summer
Wells	No Bylaw						
West Kelowna	Fire Rescue Establishment and Operations Bylaw No. 0114 2010	Both	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban - Open burning allowed with permits from October 1st to April 30th	- Administered by Fire Chief	- Burning restrictions: dependent on venting etc. - Minimum setbacks - Prohibited burning materials	- Permits not required for campfires	

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West Vancouver	Fire Protection and Emergency Response Bylaw No. 4366 2005	Both	- Partial/ Seasonal Ban - Burning allowed from November to March	- For exceptions only	- Burning restrictions: one permit a year is given out for residential outdoor burning Exceptions: a) Ceremonial purposes, special events, teaching purposes (Girl guides, boy scouts) b) Burns for fire training purposes	- Barbeques allowed	Curbside blue box recycling as well as yard and garden waste. In the process of implementing a pilot project on food waste collection
Whistler	Fire Protection & Fireworks Bylaw No. 1956 2010	Both	- Complete Ban	- Administered by Fire Chief	- Burning restrictions - Minimum setbacks - Exceptions: Fire Hazard Removal	- Barbecues and campfires with permits are allowed	- Recycling - Free yard waste drop off for specific weekends in Spring and Fall
White Rock	Fire Protection Bylaw No. 2057 2014	FH	- Complete Ban		- Prohibited Burning Materials	- Small confined cooking fires and barbecues on private property are permitted	- Curbside vegetation pickup - Back yard compost education & incentive program
Williams Lake	Fire Protection and Control Bylaw No. 1947 2004	FH		- Administered by Fire Chief	- Burning restrictions - Minimum setbacks - Prohibited burning materials Exceptions: a) Necessary municipal burning b) Burns for fire training purposes	- Outdoor cooking fires contained within appropriate devices, fixtures, or licensed campground fire pits are permitted	
Zeballos	No Bylaw						

Summary of Wood Burning Appliance Bylaws

Collated from 2007/2011/2015 Questionnaire Results

Local Government	Bylaw Name	Bylaw Applies To:	Complete Ban or Ban on Some Types?	Permits?	Installations must be CSA /EPA Approved?	Bylaw Provisions:
100 Mile House	No Bylaw					
Abbotsford	Fire Services Bylaw No. 1513 Consolidated 2009					- Burning Fuel Restrictions: Only fuels designed for appliances/ Seasoned fire wood
Alberni-Clayoquot Regional District	Building Bylaw No.PS1005-4 Consolidated 2010			- New installations need a permit	- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	
Alert Bay	No Bylaw					
Anmore	Building & Plumbing Code Regulation Bylaw No.335 2004 Update in Progress				- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	- New installations must be compliant with building code - Burning Fuel Restrictions: No garbage or treated wood
Ashcroft	Building Regulations Bylaw No.793 2014	- Wood burning stoves - Wood fire places - Chimneys		- New installations need a permit		- New installations must be compliant with building code

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Armstrong	Building Bylaw No.1747 Consolidated 2011			- New installations need a permit		- New installations must be compliant with building code
Barriere	Building Regulations Bylaw No.2066 2005			- New installations need a permit	- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	- New installations must be compliant with building code
Belcarra	Building & Plumbing Code Regulation Bylaw No.355 Consolidated 2011			- New installations need a permit		- New installations must be compliant with building code - it is not permitted for a chimney, stovepipe or flue to become unclean or take fire
Bowen Island	Building Bylaw No. 65 2002			- New installations need a permit		- New installations must be compliant with building code
Bulkley-Nechako Regional District	Building Bylaw No. 1634 2012			- New installations need a permit		- New installations must be compliant with building code
Burnaby	Building Bylaw No.11279 2004			- New installations need a permit	- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	- New installations must be compliant with building code

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Burns Lake		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Wood Stoves - Wood furnaces or boilers - Outdoor wood boilers - Wood fireplaces 	- Ban on installing <u>some types</u> of wood burning appliances	- New installations need a permit	- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - New installations must be compliant with building code - No operation when air quality advisory is in effect - Opacity limits on smoke emissions - Prohibits causing a nuisance with smoke - Restrictions on burning certain fuels
Cache Creek	Building Regulations Bylaw No. 714 2007			- New installations need a permit		- New installations must be compliant with building code
Campbell River	Clean Air Bylaw No.3293 2007			- New installations need a permit	- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	- Restrictions on burning certain fuels: No garbage or noxious materials
Canal Flats	No Bylaw				- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	- New installations must be compliant with building code

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Capital Regional District	Building Regulation Bylaw No.5 2010			- New installations need a permit	- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	- New installations must be compliant with building code
Cariboo Regional District	Building Bylaw No. 4707 2013			- New installations need a permit		- New installations must be compliant with building code
Castlegar	Building Bylaw No. 950 2003			- New installations need a permit		- New installations must be compliant with building code
Central Coast Regional District	No Bylaw					
Central Kootenay Regional District	Building Bylaw No.2200 2010			- New installations need a permit		- New installations must be compliant with building code
Central Okanagan Regional District	Smoke Control Regulatory Bylaw No. 773 2011				- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	- New installations must be compliant with building code - Restrictions on burning certain fuels: Seasoned untreated wood or wood pellets or fuel logs (manufactured products) - Requires removal of non-certified appliances (or prohibits their use) : Authorized to establish removal program

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Central Saanich	Building Bylaw No.1470 Consolidated 2008			- New installations need a permit		- New installations must be compliant with building code
Chase	Building Regulations Bylaw No. 427 1991					- New installations must be compliant with building code
Chetwynd	Wood Burning Appliance/Clean Air Bylaw No.963 2012	- Wood Stoves - Wood furnaces or boilers - Outdoor wood boilers - Wood fireplaces	- Ban on installing <u>some</u> types of wood burning appliances	- New installations need a permit	- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	- New installations must be compliant with building code
Chilliwack	Building Regulation Bylaw No.2970 2007			- New installations need a permit	- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	- New installations must be compliant with building code
Clearwater	Building Regulation Bylaw No. 2066 2005				- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	- New installations must be compliant with building code

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Clinton	Building Bylaw No.174.1 2000			- New installations need a permit	- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	- New installations must be compliant with building code
Coldstream	Building and Plumbing Bylaw No.1442 Consolidated 2008			- New installations need a permit	- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	- New installations must be compliant with building code
Columbia-Shuswap Regional District	No Bylaw					
Colwood	Building Bylaw No.977 2008			- New installations need a permit		- New installations must be compliant with building code
Comox	Building Bylaw No.1472 2005			- New installations need a permit	- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	- New installations must be compliant with building code

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Comox Valley Regional District	Building Bylaw No.142 2011	- Wood Stoves - Wood furnaces or boilers - Wood fireplaces - Pellet stoves/ furnaces	- Ban on installing <u>some types</u> of wood burning appliances	- New installations need a permit	- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	- New installations must be compliant with building code
Coquitlam	Fire Prevention & Life Safety No.3712 2005			- New installations need a permit	- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	- New installations must be compliant with building code
Courtenay	Building Bylaw No.2323 2003					- New installations must be compliant with building code
Cowichan Valley Regional District	No Bylaw					
Cranbrook	Fire Services Bylaw No. 3676	- Outdoor wood boilers	- Ban on installing <u>some types</u> of wood burning appliances			- Restrictions on burning certain fuels: Only seasoned firewood and clear construction materials. (no painted, treated, or adhesive materials)
Creston	No Bylaw					
Cumberland	Building Bylaw No. 949 2012					- New installations must be compliant with building code

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Dawson Creek	Building Regulation Bylaw No. 3282 Consolidated 2011		Ban on installation of outdoor solid fuel burning appliances	- New installations need a permit	- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	- New installations must be compliant with building code
Delta	Building & Plumbing Bylaw No. 6060 2002		Ban on outdoor solid fuel burning appliances (Delta Fire Regulation Bylaw 5855 2001, Section 5.4)*	- New installations need a permit	- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	- New installations must be compliant with building code

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Duncan	Wood Burning Appliances And Air Quality Bylaw No.3089 2013	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Wood fireplaces - Pellet stoves/furnaces - Wood Burning Appliance is defined in the City's Bylaw as a "fireplace, woodstove, central furnace, in which wood is burned and which discharges combustion products into the air" 	- Ban on installing <u>some types</u> of wood burning appliances	- New installations need a permit	- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - New installations must be compliant with building code - Requires removal of non-certified appliances (or prohibits their use) - No operation when air quality advisory is in effect - Prohibits causing a nuisance with smoke - Restrictions on burning certain fuels: waste material including mixed solid waste (garbage), demolition, renovation or construction waste material, tires, coal, plastics, drywall, domestic waste, paint, special waste, tar paper, treated lumber, railway ties, manure, rubber, asphalt products, fuel and lubricant containers or biomedical waste
East Kootenay Regional District	Building Regulation Bylaw No.1735 2004			- New installations need a permit	- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	- New installations must be compliant with building code
Elkford	No Bylaw					

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Enderby	Good Neighbour Bylaw No.1517 2013				- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	
Esquimalt	Building Code Bylaw No. 2538 Consolidated 2010					- New installations must be compliant with building code
Fernie	Building Bylaw No.1946 2003			- New installations need a permit		- New installations must be compliant with building code
Fraser-Fort George Regional District	No Bylaw					
Fraser Lake	Outdoor Solid Fuel Combustion Appliances Control Bylaw No.692 2008		Ban on installation of outdoor solid fuel burning appliances		- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	- New installations must be compliant with building code

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Fraser Valley Regional District	Bylaw In Progress/ Under Consideration					
Fruitvale	Fire Safety & Prevention Bylaw No.749 2006					- New installations must be compliant with building code - Restrictions on burning certain fuels: No material defined as "waste". Seasoned wood only
Fort St. James	Solid Fuel Burning Appliance and Emissions Regulations Bylaw No. 846 2008				- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	- New installations must be compliant with building code - Restrictions on burning certain fuels: Cured wood only.
Fort St. John	Building Bylaw No. 2094 2013	- All solid fuel (wood, coal etc.) burning appliances including stoves, factory made fireplaces (natural gas not included) and fireplace stoves		- New installations need a permit		- New installations must be compliant with building code
Gibsons	Building and Plumbing Bylaw No. 822 1996	- Factory built wood burning appliance or chimney - Masonry fireplace		- New installations need a permit		

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Golden	Solid Fuel Burning Appliance Bylaw No. 1150 2005		- Complete Ban (Except where replacing an existing wood burning appliance)		- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	- New installations must be compliant with building code
Gold River	Building Bylaw No.651 2005			- New installations need a permit		- New installations must be compliant with building code
Grand Forks	Wood Burning Appliance Bylaw No. 1879 2010					- No person shall create a nuisance using a wood burning appliance in such a way as to disturb the health and comfort of two or more persons from separate dwellings in the vicinity
Granisle	Outdoor Solid Fuel Combustion Appliance Control Bylaw No. 404 2008	- Outdoor wood boiler	- Ban on installing <u>some</u> types of wood burning appliances			
Greenwood	No Bylaw					

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Harrison Hot Springs	Building Regulation Bylaw No.965 2011	- Wood Stoves - Wood furnaces or boilers - Outdoor wood boilers - Wood fireplaces	- Ban on installing <u>some types</u> of wood burning appliances			- Restrictions on burning certain fuels: Only fuels designed for appliances/seasoned firewood.
Hazelton	No Bylaw					
Highlands	Building Regulation Bylaw No.192 2003			- New installations need a permit		- New installations must be compliant with building code
Hope	Building Bylaw No. 972 1997			- New installations need a permit	- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	- New installations must be compliant with building code
Houston	Open Burning & Air Quality Bylaw No.947 2006		- Complete ban on noncertified appliances		- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	- Requires removal of non-certified appliances (or prohibits their use) - Restrictions on burning certain fuels: Only fuels designed for appliances. No garbage or noxious materials - No operation during AQ advisory (except if sole source of heat in household).

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Hudson's Hope	Building Bylaw No. 741 2008			- New installations need a permit	- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	- New installations must be compliant with building code
Invermere	Bylaw In Progress/ Under Consideration					
Islands Trust	No Bylaw					
Kamloops	Building Bylaw No.11-80 2006	- Wood furnaces or boilers	- Ban on installation of outdoor solid fuel burning	- New installations need a permit		- New installations must be compliant with building code
Kaslo	Building Bylaw No. 1090 2009					- New installations must be compliant with building code
Kelowna	Building Bylaw No.7245 Consolidated 2003			- New installations need a permit		- New installations must be compliant with building code
Kent	Building Bylaw No. 1116 Consolidated 2009			- New installations need a permit		- New installations must be compliant with building code

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Keremeos	Building Bylaw No. 800 2013			- New installations need a permit		- New installations must be compliant with building code
Kimberley	Wood Burning Appliance Emissions Control Bylaw No.2465 2013	- Outdoor wood boilers - Wood stoves	- Ban on installing <u>some types</u> of wood burning appliances	- New installations need a permit	- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	- New installations must be compliant with building code - Prohibits causing a nuisance with smoke - Restrictions on burning certain fuels
Kitimat	No Bylaw					
Kitimat-Stikine Regional District	No Bylaw					
Kootenay Boundary Regional District	Building & Plumbing Bylaw No. 449 2003					- New installations must be compliant with building code
Ladysmith	Fire Prevention Bylaw No. 1815 2013	- Wood stoves - Wood fireplaces - Pellet stoves/furnaces			- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	- New installations must be compliant with building code

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Lake Country	Building Regulation Bylaw No. 709 2011	- Wood stoves		- New installations need a permit		- Requires removal of non-certified appliances (or prohibits their use) - New installations must be compliant with building code
Lake Cowichan	Building Bylaw No. 1848 Amended 2010					- New installations must be compliant with building code
Langford	Building Bylaw No.1160 Consolidated 2010			- New installations need a permit	- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	- New installations must be compliant with building code
Langley City	Fire Protection and Safety Bylaw No.2784 2009					- Restrictions on burning certain fuels - It is not permitted for a chimney, stovepipe or flue to become unclean or take fire.
Langley Township	Bylaw In Progress/ Under Consideration					
Lantzville	No Bylaw					
Lillooet	Building Bylaw No. 199 Consolidated 2004			- New installations need a permit		- New installations must be compliant with building code

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Lions Bay	Fire Bylaw No.428 2011					<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - New installations must be compliant with building code - Restrictions on burning certain fuels
Logan Lake	Building Regulations Bylaw No. 602 2006	- Wood Stoves		- New installations need a permit	- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - New installations must be compliant with building code - Restrictions on burning certain fuels
Lumby	Wood Burning Appliance Smoke Control Bylaw No.653 2007	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Wood Stoves - Wood furnaces or boilers - Wood fire places 			- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - New installations must be compliant with building code - Restrictions on burning certain fuels - No operation when air quality advisory is in effect - Prohibits causing a nuisance with smoke - Minimum installation setbacks from other buildings, property lines, etc.
Lytton	No Bylaw					

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Mackenzie	Solid-Fuel Burning Appliance Emissions Bylaw No.1213 2007				- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	
Maple Ridge	No Bylaw					
Masset	No Bylaw					
McBride	No Bylaw					
Merritt	Wood Burning Appliances and Air Quality Bylaw No.2012 Consolidated 2010		- Ban on installation of outdoor solid fuel burning appliances	- New installations need a permit	- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	- New installations must be compliant with building code - Restrictions on burning certain fuels - No operation during AQ advisory - New buildings must not have wood burning as sole source of heating
Metchosin	Building Bylaw No.227 1987			- New installations need a permit		- New installations must be compliant with building code

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Metro Vancouver	Air Quality Management Bylaw No.1082 Bylaw In Progress/ Under Consideration 2015	- Wood Stoves - Wood Fire Places - Pellet stoves/furnaces ** All Under Consideration				
Midway	Building & Plumbing Bylaw No. 290 1997					- New installations must be compliant with building code
Mission	No Bylaw					
Montrose	Building Bylaw No.633 2005				- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	- New installations must be compliant with building code
Mount Waddington Regional District	No Bylaw					
Nakusp	Fire Regulation Bylaw No. 588 2004			- New installations need a permit		- New installations must be compliant with building code

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Nanaimo	Building Regulations Bylaw No.1250 2010			- New installations need a permit		- New installations must be compliant with building code
Nelson	Building Bylaw No. 3202 2011			- New installations need a permit		- New installations must be compliant with building code
New Denver	Building Bylaw No. 595 2006			- New installations need a permit		- New installations must be compliant with building code
New Hazelton	No Bylaw					
New Westminster	No Bylaw					
North Cowichan	Building Bylaw No.3172 Consolidated 2010			- New installations need a permit		- New installations must be compliant with building code
Northern Rockies Regional District	Building Bylaw No.650 Consolidated 2009			- New installations need a permit	- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	- New installations must be compliant with building code

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North Saanich	Building & Plumbing Bylaw No.1150 Consolidated 2010			- New installations need a permit	- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	- New installations must be compliant with building code
North Okanagan Regional District	Building Bylaw No.1747 Consolidated 2011			- New installations need a permit		- New installations must be compliant with building code
North Vancouver (City of)	Air Pollution Control Bylaw No.4301 1971			- New installations need a permit		- New installations must be compliant with building code
North Vancouver (District of)	Building Regulation Bylaw No. 7353 2003			- New installations need a permit		- New installations must be compliant with building code
Oak Bay	Building & Plumbing Bylaw No.4247 2005			- New installations need a permit		- New installations must be compliant with building code
Okanagan-Similkameen Regional District	Building Bylaw No.1251 Updated 2011			- New installations need a permit		- New installations must be compliant with building code

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Oliver	No Bylaw					
Osoyoos	Building Bylaw No.1251 Updated 2011			- New installations need a permit		- New installations must be compliant with building code
Parksville	Bylaw In Progress/ Under Consideration 2015					
Peace River Regional District	No Bylaw					
Peachland	Fire and Life Safety & Smoke Regulatory Bylaw No.1718 2007				- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	- Requires removal of non-certified appliances (or prohibits their use); Council permitted to establish program for removal. - Restrictions on burning certain fuels: Only untreated seasoned wood with a moisture content of 20% or less.
Pemberton	Building Bylaw No. 518 2003			- New installations need a permit		- New installations must be compliant with building code
Penticton	Fire and Life Safety Bylaw No.57 2004					- New installations must be compliant with building code - Restrictions on burning certain fuels: Only fuels designed for appliances

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Pitt Meadows	Building Bylaw No.2131 Consolidated 2011	- Wood fireplaces (Not attached backyard Fire Pits)				- New installations must be compliant with building code - Prohibits causing a nuisance with smoke (Natural Gas & Propane Fire pits only allowed)
Port Alberni	Solid Fuel Burning Appliance Emissions Bylaw No.4802 2012	- Wood burning stoves - Wood furnaces or boilers - Outdoor wood boilers - Wood fireplaces - Pellet stoves/furnaces	- Ban on installing <u>some</u> types of wood burning appliances		- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	- New installations must be compliant with building code - Requires removal of non-certified appliances (or prohibits their use): Applicable in 2017
Port Alice	Application for Building Permit Bylaw No. 560			- New installations need a permit		
Port Clements	No Bylaw					
Port Coquitlam	Fire and Emergency Services Bylaw No.3562 2006		- Ban on use of outdoor solid fuel burning appliances			- New installations must be compliant with building code
Port Edward	Building Bylaw No. 477 2006	- Wood burning stoves - Wood furnaces or boilers - Wood fireplaces		- New installations need a permit		- New installations must be compliant with building code

Local Government	Bylaw Name	Bylaw Applies To:	Complete Ban or Ban on Some Types?	Permits?	Installations must be CSA /EPA Approved?	Bylaw Provisions:
Port Hardy	Building Bylaw No. 11 2005			- New installations need a permit		- New installations must be compliant with building code
Port McNeill	Building & Plumbing Bylaw No. 610 2009			- New installations need a permit		- New installations must be compliant with building code
Port Moody	Fire Protection & Emergency Response Bylaw No.2835 2010				- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	
Pouce Coupe	Bylaw In Progress/ Under Consideration 2015					
Powell River	Wood Burning Appliance Control Bylaw No. 2083 2005				- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	- New installations must be compliant with building code - Restrictions on burning certain fuels: Only seasoned, untreated wood or manufactured products for use in such appliances

Local Government	Bylaw Name	Bylaw Applies To:	Complete Ban or Ban on Some Types?	Permits?	Installations must be CSA /EPA Approved?	Bylaw Provisions:
Powell River Regional District	No Bylaw					
Prince George	Clean Air Bylaw No. 8266 2010		- Ban on installation of outdoor solid fuel burning appliances		- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	- New installations must be compliant with building code - Restrictions on burning certain fuels - No operation during AQ advisory - Buildings over 7m2 must not have wood burning as sole source of heating
Prince Rupert	Building Bylaw No.3314 2012			- New installations need a permit		- New installations must be compliant with building code
Princeton	Building Bylaw No.751 2003			- New installations need a permit		- New installations must be compliant with building code
Qualicum Beach	Building Bylaw No.643 2009			- New installations need a permit		- New installations must be compliant with building code
Queen Charlotte	No Bylaw					

Local Government	Bylaw Name	Bylaw Applies To:	Complete Ban or Ban on Some Types?	Permits?	Installations must be CSA /EPA Approved?	Bylaw Provisions:
Quesnel	Solid Fuel Burning Appliance Emissions bylaw No. 1569 2004	Bylaw Update In Progress/ Under Consideration 2015			- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	- Restrictions on burning certain fuels: Only fuels designed for appliances. No garbage or noxious materials
Radium Hot Springs	No Bylaw					
Revelstoke	Wood Burning Appliance Smoke Control Bylaw No. 2017 2013	- Wood burning stoves - Wood furnaces or boilers - Outdoor wood boilers - Wood fireplaces - Pellet stoves/furnaces	- Ban on installing <u>some</u> types of wood burning appliances	- New installations need a permit	- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	- Restrictions on burning certain fuels: newsprint coloured ink or glossy paper; residential, commercial, agriculture, industrial or biomedical solid or liquid waste of any kind, tires, coal, plastics, drywall, paint, tar paper, treated or painted lumber, wood pallets, construction material, railway ties, rubber, asphalt products, oil, fire accelerants or fuel and lubricant containers.
Richmond	Fire Protection and Life Safety Bylaw No.8306 Amended 2011			- New installations need a permit		
Rossland	No Bylaw					

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Saanich	Fire Prevention Bylaw No.8807 2006				- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	- New installations must be compliant with building code - Restrictions on burning certain fuels: Clean, unpainted wood only -Smoke opacity limit of 20%. - No burning during MoE inversion or AQ advisory
Salmo	Building Bylaw No.618 (No online copy) 2010			- New installations need a permit		- New installations must be compliant with building code
Salmon Arm	Wood Burning Appliances & Air Quality Bylaw No.3625 2007		- Ban on installation of outdoor solid fuel burning appliances		- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	- New installations must be compliant with building code - Restrictions on burning certain fuels - No operation during AQ advisory - New buildings must not have wood burning as sole source of heating
Sayward	No Bylaw					
Sechelt	Building Bylaw No. 409 Consolidated 2013					- New installations must be compliant with building code

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Sechelt Nation	No Bylaw					
Sicamous	Building Regulations Bylaw No.700 2008				- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	- New installations must be compliant with building code
Sidney	Building Regulation Bylaw No.2016 2003					- New installations must be compliant with building code
Silverton	Building Bylaw Bo.449 2007					- New installations must be compliant with building code
Skeen-Queen Charlotte Regional District	No Bylaw					
Slocan	Building Bylaw No.605 2011			- New installations need a permit		- New installations must be compliant with building code

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Smithers	Wood Burning Appliance Smoke Control Bylaw No.1520 2006		- Ban on installation of outdoor solid fuel burning appliances and noncertified indoor appliances	- New installations need a permit	- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	- New installations must be compliant with building code - Requires removal of non-certified appliances: Removed or rendered permanently inoperable by December 31st , 2010 - Restrictions on burning certain fuels: Only fuels designed for appliances. No garbage or noxious materials -No operation during AQ advisory - New buildings must not have wood burning as sole source of heating
Sooke	Building Regulation Bylaw No. 2001 Consolidated 2010			- New installations need a permit	- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	- New installations must be compliant with building code - Restrictions on burning certain fuels: No burning of garbage or noxious materials - Minimum setbacks from buildings, property lines etc. -- Requires removal of non-certified appliances (or prohibits their use)
Spallumcheen	No Bylaw					

Local Government	Bylaw Name	Bylaw Applies To:	Complete Ban or Ban on Some Types?	Permits?	Installations must be CSA /EPA Approved?	Bylaw Provisions:
Sparwood	Wood Burning Appliance Bylaw (No online copy)	- Wood burning stoves - Wood furnaces or boilers - Outdoor wood boilers - Pellet stoves/furnaces			- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	- Opacity limits on smoke emissions - Prohibits causing a nuisance with smoke - Restrictions on burning certain fuels
Squamish	Fire Service Bylaw No.2314 2014			- New installations need a permit	- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	- Restrictions on burning certain fuels
Squamish-Lillooet	Building Bylaw No.863 Consolidated 2011				- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	- New installations must be compliant with building code
Stewart	Building Regulation Bylaw No.843 2010					- New installations must be compliant with building code
Strathcona Regional District	No Bylaw					

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Summerland	Building Regulation Bylaw No.017 2013				- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	- New installations must be compliant with building code - Restrictions on burning certain fuels: Garbage prohibited
Sun Peaks	Appendix A to Building Scheme (Design Guidelines, Single Family Residential & Pension Lots)		- Ban On noncertified appliance installation		- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	
Sunshine Coast	Fire Protection Bylaw No. 631 2011				- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	- New installations must be compliant with building code
Surrey	No Bylaw					
Tahsis	Building Bylaw No. 525 2006			- New installations need a permit	- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	
Taylor	No Bylaw					
Telkwa	No Bylaw					

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Terrace	Wood Burning Appliance Installation & Operation Bylaw No. 1952 2009		- Ban On noncertified appliances		- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	- Requires removal of non-certified appliances (or prohibits their use) - Restrictions on burning certain fuels: Only fuels designed for appliances - Minimum setbacks - No operation during AQ advisory
Thompson-Nicola Regional District	Building Regulations Bylaw No. 2066 2005					- New installations must be compliant with building code
Tofino	Building Bylaw No. 940 2003					- New installations must be compliant with building code - Restrictions on burning certain fuels: Only seasoned firewood and clear construction materials. (no painted, treated, or adhesive materials)
Trail	Fire Safety & Prevention Bylaw No. 2335 1996					- Restrictions on burning certain fuels: No material defined as "waste". Seasoned wood only

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Tumbler Ridge	Fire Services Bylaw No. 572 2011				- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	- New installations must be compliant with building code
Ucluelet	Building Bylaw No. 1165 2014					- New installations must be compliant with building code
Valemount	No Bylaw					
Vancouver (City of)		- Wood fireplaces	- Ban on installing <u>some types</u> of wood burning appliances			- New installations must be compliant with building code - New equipment must meet the bylaw standard
Vanderhoof	Building Bylaw No. 965 2004			- New installations need a permit		- New installations must be compliant with building code
Vernon	Bylaw In Progress/ Under Consideration 2015	- Wood Stoves - Wood Fireplaces		- New installations need a permit		- New installations must be compliant with building code - Restrictions on burning certain fuels: Must be dry wood

Local Government	Bylaw Name	Bylaw Applies To:	Complete Ban or Ban on Some Types?	Permits?	Installations must be CSA /EPA Approved?	Bylaw Provisions:
Victoria	Building Bylaw No. 93-111	- Wood burning stoves - Wood furnaces or boilers - Outdoor wood boilers - Wood fireplaces - Pellet stoves/furnaces				- New installations must be compliant with building code - Restrictions on burning certain fuels: seasoned wood only – no painted, treated or wood with adhesives
View Royal	Building Bylaw No.786 2010			- New installations need a permit		- New installations must be compliant with building code
Warfield	No Bylaw					
Wells	Building Bylaw No. 3160 1996					- New installations must be compliant with building code
West Kelowna	Building Regulation Bylaw No. 0086 2009			- New installations need a permit		- New installations must be compliant with building code
West Vancouver	Fire Protection and Emergency Response Bylaw No. 4366 2005		- Ban on use of outdoor solid fuel burning appliances			- New installations must be compliant with building code - Restrictions on burning certain fuels

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Whistler	Building & Plumbing Regulation Bylaw No. 1617 2012			- New installations need a permit		- New installations must be compliant with building code
White Rock	Building Bylaw No. 1928 2012					- New installations must be compliant with building code
Williams Lake	Building & Plumbing Code Bylaw No. 1901 2003			- New installations need a permit	- New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency of US Environmental Protection Agency	- New installations must be compliant with building code
Zeballos	No Bylaw					

Appendix A – Air Quality Bylaw Questionnaire 2015

MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT Questionnaire on Air Quality Bylaws

The information compiled from this questionnaire will be used to update the 2011 inventory of air quality bylaws in BC to ensure the inventory remains a useful tool to the public, local governments, and Ministry of Environment.

It would be greatly appreciated if this questionnaire could be completed and submitted to Cassidy Caron by **Friday, February 6, 2015** via:

- Email: Cassidy.Caron@gov.bc.ca; or Phone: 250-387-4597

Municipality:

Website:	
Contact Name:	
Position:	
Telephone:	
Email:	

Part A

1. Is your municipality aware of the 2011 inventory of air quality bylaws in British Columbia
(<http://www.bcairquality.ca/reports/pdfs/bylaws-2011.pdf>)?

☐ YES ☐ NO

2. Has your municipality accessed or used the information from the previous 2007 and 2011 inventories of air quality bylaws in British Columbia?

☐ YES ☐ NO

3. Since 2011, has your municipality updated or created any bylaws related to following:

	Yes	No	In Progress/Under Consideration
a) Vehicle Idling	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
b) Open Burning or Backyard Burning	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
c) Wood Burning Appliances (e.g., wood stoves or boilers)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

If you answered 'Yes' or 'In Progress' to any of the above bylaw categories, please continue to Part B.

If you answered 'No' to all of the above bylaw categories because bylaws were in place prior to 2011, please continue to Part C.

Part B

1. VEHICLE IDLING

a) What is the nature of your Vehicle Idling bylaw? Please check all that apply:

- ☐ No idling of unattended vehicles
- ☐ Separate provisions for commercial vehicles
- ☐ Idling for more than ____ minute(s) is prohibited
- ☐ Idling bylaw contains exceptions (Please define exceptions):

- ☐ Other (Please specify):

2. OPEN BURNING:

a) Is your open burning bylaw primarily aimed at:

- ☐ Reducing fire hazard?
- ☐ Improving air quality?
- ☐ Targeting both fire hazard and air quality?

b) What is the nature of your open burning bylaw? Please check all that apply:

- ☐ Burning restrictions (What can be burned, where, methods etc.)
- ☐ Complete ban
- ☐ Minimum setbacks from buildings, property lines etc.
- ☐ Partial/ seasonal ban (day of the week)
- ☐ Permits are administered by the municipal Fire Chief
- ☐ Permits are for exceptions only
- ☐ Prohibited burning materials (i.e. garbage)
- ☐ Recreational bonfires, campfires, and barbecues are allowed
- ☐ Other (Please specify):

c) Does your municipality provide any of the following complementary outlets to offer residents an alternative to burning? Please check all that apply:

- ☐ Curbside vegetation pick up
- ☐ Free vegetation drop off sites
- ☐ Back yard compost education and incentive programs
- ☐ Other (Please specify):

3. WOOD BURNING APPLIANCES

a) If you answered 'Yes' to bylaws relating to wood burning appliances to which does it apply? Please check all that apply:

- ☐ Wood burning stoves
- ☐ Wood furnaces or boilers
- ☐ Outdoor wood boilers
- ☐ Wood fireplaces
- ☐ Pellet stoves/furnaces
- ☐ Other (Please specify):

b) What is the nature of your Wood Burning Appliance bylaw? Please check all that apply:

- ☐ Complete ban on installation of wood burning appliances
- ☐ Ban on installing some types of wood burning appliances
- ☐ New installations need a permit
- ☐ New installations must be compliant with building code
- ☐ New installations must meet emission standards set by Canadian Standards Agency (CSA) or US Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)
- ☐ Requires removal of non-certified appliances (or prohibits their use)
- ☐ No operation when air quality advisory is in effect
- ☐ Opacity limits on smoke emissions
- ☐ Prohibits causing a nuisance with smoke
- ☐ Minimum installation setbacks from other buildings, property lines, etc.
- ☐ Restrictions on burning certain fuels* (i.e., prohibitions on wet or unseasoned wood, garbage). *If yes, please specify:
- ☐ Other (Please specify):

Part C

Regarding all or any of the Vehicle Idling, Open Burning/Backyard Burning, or Wood Burning Appliance bylaws in your municipality, please answer the following questions.

- 1. Are copies of these bylaws available online? If yes, please specify the webpage address(es)¹:**

- 2. Has there been any public outreach or education related to these bylaws? If yes, please describe:**

- 3. Has your municipality posted 'Idle Free Zone' signs?** ☐ YES ☐ NO

¹ If bylaws are not available online, scanned and emailed or faxed copies are greatly appreciated.

4. Does your municipality ever receive complaints about vehicle emissions? ☐ YES ☐ NO
5. Does your municipality ever receive complaints about smoke?
☐ YES ☐ NO
6. Would you consider wood burning appliances to be the preferred or most common source for residential heating in your community?
☐ YES ☐ NO
7. Would you consider use of wood heating to be increasing or decreasing in your community (based on whatever evidence you have)?
☐ INCREASING ☐ DECREASING
8. If yes, has the volume of these complaints changed with the introduction or enforcement of any air quality bylaws? With education or outreach? Please describe:
9. How are these bylaws enforced and by whom? Are warnings or fines issued? What costs are associated with enforcement of these bylaws?
10. Any comments on what could make your bylaws more effective at reducing air pollution? Any other general comments?

Thank you for taking the time to complete this questionnaire, we value your input.